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Dorset rallies behind its school

Board has listed 26-student
school as candidate for closure

ERIK MARTENSSON

Staff Reporter

A large turnout of about 75 people including students, staff, parents and members of the public filled the Dorset Community Centre gym last Wednesday as representatives of the Trillium Lakelands District School Board explained why Dorset Elementary School has been named as a candidate for closure.

"Just because it's identified for closure doesn't automatically mean that it will be closed," said Superintendent Dale Robinson. "We recognise that schools are a very important part of any community."

Dorset Elementary, along with Oakley Public School in Muskoka, was identified as a candidate for closure this past June.

Robinson quickly quelled any rumours that the school could be closed before the end of the school year and noted that the process will likely take several months and involve a large amount of community input.

"These are the most heartwrenching decisions we have to make," added Director of Education Evelyn Brown. "I'm very pleased to see so many community people here."

The school was recognized as a candidate for closure for the second time in 15 years because it met several of the criteria outlined in the board's new policy on school closure.

It was noted that Dorset Elementary has a declining population and currently sits at only 26 students. With the small number of students the school has comparatively high costs of maintenance and staffing and is also forced to provide multi-grade classes one from Junior Kindergarten to Grade 3 and one from Grade 4 to 6. The lack of a gym and lab on the premises was also emphasized.

Other criteria the board considers when deciding on candidates for closure, including difficulty providing a full program and concerns for student safety, did not apply to the Dorset school.

Robinson said the next step is to set up a School Review Committee to conduct an in-depth study into the advisability and feasibility of closing the school. The committee will be composed of two parent repre-

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MARTHA PERKINS/Echo

This mural in Ed Poropat and Joan Foulds' Grad 6 class was one of the highlights of Thursday night's open house at J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School. Students were each assigned a square to replicate from a painting, not knowing how it would look when their works were joined.

Glebe Park campus work begins

MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

Work on servicing the land for the new Sir Sandford Fleming College campus on Head Lake is beginning, Dysart et al Reeve Murray Fearrey told the college's board of governors on Wednesday.

Conestoga Rovers won the consultants' tender for the sewer line extension with work expected to begin at the end of March or beginning of April.

Negotiations about the road detour from Industrial Park Road are taking longer than expected, Fearrey said.

"We're looking for a fall solution and hope to have it roughed out over the winter."

The survey of the 25 acres Dysart will deed to the college for the new campus in the municipally-owned Glebe Park won't be done until the exact location of the campus is

known, he said.

However, he assured governors that "we'll be able to keep our end of the construction on line."

Architects are working on several proposals now, campus director Barb Bolin told the governors, who were holding their meeting at the Haliburton campus as an autumn tradition.

The college was given \$5-mil-

lion from the province's Super Build fund to build the new campus. The total cost won't be known until the architect's plans are finalized and adopted, but Bolin expects the community will have to raise \$1-million for the project.

That money would not have to be raised before construction begins.

See **Campus** page 4

Maple Avenue temporarily closed

Maple Avenue in Haliburton Village will be closed to through traffic between Highland Street and Park Street to facilitate the earlier completion of the road improvement project, which has been delayed due to weather. The closure dates are: Oct. 11 at 7 a.m. to Oct. 20 at 5 p.m.

Should the work be completed earlier, the closure will be

removed. Local traffic will be accommodated with as few inconveniences as possible.

A detour will be established on Highland Street, Pine Avenue and Park Street. As well, the Glebe Park access is open to allow access to County Road 121.

For additional information, contact John Matthews at the Dysart municipal office.



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Do you have any shrubs you'd like to separate or

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news and events worth noting

give to a worthy new home? HHSS science teacher Emma Thurley, who's a mother of a student at Stuart Baker Elementary School, has been working with her students on a hands-on landscaping project at SBES. They'd welcome donations of shrubs. Please call her at 457-2950 or SBES at 457-1342.

Clarification: the large iron sculpture of an eagle in Eagle Lake

was crafted by Leo Sepa, as stated in a story in last week's *Echo*. However, the sculpture was designed by Sergio and Sigi Zrinscak of Eagle Lake. Mr. Zrinscak also helped with its construction.

If you're interested in finding out more about the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce, or want to meet some of the other members, the Business After Hours get together at Bullfrogs Bistro at Silver Eagle Resort is a good way to start. It's an informal "meet and greet" social evening for area business people, employees and residents. If possible, please RSVP the Chamber office at 286-1760.

The World March for Women will have its first Highlands contingent on October 15. Proceeds will go to HERS - the Haliburton Emergency Rural Shelter for women and children. The walk wends itself around Head Lake starting at 10:30 a.m. at the Women's Resource Centre in Haliburton's Halco Plaza. Call Paula Pepping at 457-1942 for details or pledge sheets. Meanwhile, there will be an evening of Tea, Tunes and Talk at the Women's Resource Centre, Halco Plaza, on Oct. 19 starting at 7:30 p.m.. It's a public information/consultation meeting about HERS.

John O'Reilly, the MP for Haliburton-Victoria-Brock has been appointed as chair of the Standing Committee on Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development. His first meeting as chair was October 5.



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Stanhope, Sherborne transition board

It's all systems go for Stanhope airport expansion study

ERIK MARTENSSON

Staff Reporter

The following are brief reports from the Oct. 5 Sherborne, Stanhope et al Transition Board meeting.

Plans for a new 40,000 ft. crosswind runway for the Stanhope Airport are slowly taking wing.

The board approved a motion that will see the airport committee move ahead with requests for proposals to upgrade the master plan of the Stanhope Airport.

It is expected the update will suggest the construction of the new runway capable of handling larger aircraft than the airport's present 26,000 ft. runway.

It was requested that \$28,500 be put in the budget to hire an engineering consultant to handle the update as soon as possible.

Stanhope Deputy Reeve Murray Daniels cited the County's Economic Development Plan of 1998 which suggested the airport be redeveloped.

"I think that for the economy of the county as a whole it's a real asset," added Sherborne Reeve Don Shortreed.

Daniels said the plan was needed right away so the township could acquire the necessary property. Two properties have been identified as possibilities but until the plan is done it is unknown which property would be better suited, he said.

"Basically there are two scenarios," said Stanhope Councillor Jim Hicks. "But basically we already know."

Councillors noted that there might be some difficulty in obtaining the land as the property owner wants to sever the property.

Sherborne Deputy Reeve Garry Sanderson wondered if

there would be a need to expropriate the land.

"Not necessarily," replied Daniels.

Stanhope Councillor Ann Barker said haste in making a decision is necessary since the land is a large family property.

"In fairness to them we need to get moving."

Waste management

The board is looking at changing the Certificate of Approvals for some of its landfills. The Dorset landfill is in the process of a C of A change to have a transfer station to the McClintock dump. Board members wondered if it would not be cheaper to allow Dorset area ratepayers to use the Pine Springs landfill instead. According to the committee the Pine Springs landfill will last another 18 years under current volumes.

Shortreed said waste management is something that the board will have to look at carefully.

"It's a serious problem and not an easy one to deal with."

Dorset satellite office

The Transition Board refused to be drawn into a discussion on the future of a satellite office in Dorset and the level of service it will provide.

"None of us today can make that decision," said Harrison, noting that the board is already recommending consideration of a satellite office. "The new council will decide what the level of service will be. The satellite office is a political decision."

Shortreed said he had been asked about the future of a satellite office in Dorset by a ratepayers' association. He commented that the issue is likely to come up at the all-candidates meeting on October 28 at 7:30 p.m. at the Dorset Recreation Centre.



LEN PIZZEY/ECHO

The work on the Drag River rehabilitation program is nearing completion. HHSS students are putting the final touches on the stone stairs leading from Highland Street to the riverside walkway in the heart of Haliburton.

Yellowbusinessdirectory.com caution

OPP says businesses can get money back

MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

Businesses across the county have been receiving a bill from "yellowbusinessdirectory.com", but upon reading the small print, it appears the bill is really just a solicitation for money.

The professional-looking bill

for \$25.52, in the same yellow tones as Bell Canada bills, outlines billings for listing on an internet site. One line of the bill says "payment of this solicitation is a confirmation of your subscription."

This indicates that the business is not yet a client and therefore payment is not mandatory.

A spokesperson for Bell Canada says yellowbusinessdirectory.com is not associated in any way with any Bell service.

The Echo phoned the number listed on the bill. There are two messages outlining the company's service.

After the messages, you are asked to leave a message; you are not given the opportunity to speak with a company official. The Echo's request for an interview was not responded to.

There is a web page for the company. The Echo did a search for its name and found it, even though the paper had not paid for the service. Names of other businesses which had been approached but who did not

pay the solicitation were also on the web page.

The Haliburton Highlands OPP received several complaints and contacted Phone Busters, an anti-fraud police organization which had already received 480 calls.

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Sir Sandford Fleming College board briefs

Courses adapted to suit students' higher skill levels

MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

The following are brief reports of items discussed at Wednesday's Sir Sandford Fleming College's board of governors meeting at the Haliburton campus.

Because more people are familiar with the basics of computers, computer courses at the college will have to become more advanced, Haliburton campus director Barb Bolin said in her report.

Enrollment is down because "employment is very high and people are becoming more and more sophisticated (about computers)," she said.

The campus is in the process of changing the course outlines to match the students' needs. The campus will also consider distance-based courses which provide the program over the internet.

In arts programming, the campus's first 13-week intensive drawing and painting course is very successful, with more students interested than spaces available. The artist blacksmithing course is also at capacity and has attracted people from across North America.

The campus is moving towards a clay certification course, a jewellery certification course and perhaps even a brewmasters' program.

The School of the Arts had 3,200 registrants this past summer and many of them are coming in with more advanced skills, which is also prompting changes to the courses offered.

Meanwhile, she noted that the campus's hardwood lumber inspection course was the only one in English in Canada. As the people who give lumber its grading, "they can make or break a mill," she said.

Eco-tourism

With two more colleges offering eco-tourism programs, Haliburton is going to have to market its program – the first of its kind – more effectively, Bolin said.

There are 35 people enrolled in the eco-tourism/adventure tourism management course at the Haliburton campus; the goal had been 40.

She's confident that with the increased competition, Haliburton can attract the number of students it needs to be sustainable. "Our strengths are our location, our staff and the success of our graduates (in finding jobs)," she said.

Running the program with many part-time faculty members is both a blessing and a challenge, she said. The blessing is that the teachers work in the field and are therefore up to date on what's going on and have important contacts when it comes to helping the students find jobs.

The challenge is that they are only there for certain segments of the program.

She noted that the program's co-ordinator, Al McPherson, was one of eight people from around the world to be invited to Northern Ireland to talk about what could be done to save and protect their bogs.

Advocacy

Spending money on the college system "is not just spending, it's investing," said Dr. Desbiens, reporting on a recent meeting with Bill Davis, the former premier who was Minister of Education when the college system was formed.

Asked why the province had been willing to spend so much money, Davis said he "really believed there was a belief in the general public that there was a need (for enhanced education)... and the leadership wasn't just into the bottom line."

This reinforced Dr. Desbiens' belief that the college and community need to act as advocates for increased financial support.

Bursaries

The presentation of bursaries and scholarships worth a total of \$50,000 to 50 students was a moving experience for board members.

"When you read the applications (for bursaries), the dedication and perseverance of some of these young people is amazing," said one governor, noting that some students held down one or two jobs while at college.

"It rejuvenates why I want to be on the board. It was mind-boggling," said John Middleton. "It's the stories of the individual students that it's all about – helping them achieve their goals," said Dr. Desbiens.

Much of the bursary money was raised by The Friends of SSFC. The Art Auction run by the Friends in Haliburton raised \$20,000.



Barb Bolin outlines some of the things that have been happening at the Haliburton campus at Wednesday's SSFC board meeting.

Campus to reflect arts theme

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She noted community support and excitement for the project are high.

Both Bolin and college president Brian Desbiens praised Fearrey for offering to donate serviced land to the project. The college had applied for capital funding twice before and had been rejected both times, partly because there were no firm commitments.

"(The new campus) never would have happened without Murray Fearrey and the municipality of Dysart et al," Bolin said. "Without their donation of serviced land, the government never would have looked at our

application."

Dr. Desbiens noted Fearrey stepped out on a limb by making the commitment at a crucial moment. "Thank you for taking the risk," he told Fearrey. "That to me is what leadership is."

If the jewel that is Haliburton is going to truly sparkle, the college president said, then it's important to build a campus that reflects both the beauty and the creative atmosphere in Haliburton.

As to the work that needs to be done to raise the community's portion, Dr. Desbiens said "I know it's a challenge but you've risen to other challenges and we'll do it together."

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SLAHM Transition Board

County's southwestern corner is about to become Minden Hills

ERIK MARTENSSON
Staff Reporter

The following are brief reports from the Snowden, Lutterworth, Anson, Hindon, and Minden Transition Board Meeting of October 5.

The Township of Minden Hills will be the moniker of the amalgamated township encompassing Snowden, Lutterworth, Anson, Hindon and Minden when it comes into existence on January 1, 2001.

The name was approved by the SLAHM Transition Board last Thursday based upon a recommendation by the General Government Committee.

The Committee had reviewed the results of the impromptu vote held at the last board meeting in September before making their recommendation. At the meeting board members and members of the public in attendance were asked for votes based upon a shortlist of 11 names that had been waned from the 25 submissions the

board had received in their name the municipality contest.

But before all the stationary and signs are changed the new name has to get a final stamp of approval from the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing. SLAHM Municipal Clerk Tammy McKelvey was unsure how long the process will take but doesn't foresee any problems.

Remuneration

There was a lengthy discussion regarding recommendations from the General Government Committee on the new council's remuneration.

Recommendations that the Reeve be paid \$9,000, the Deputy Reeve \$8,000, and Councillors \$7,500 were sent back to the committee for further review as it was felt they were too low. While mileage would also be paid from the qualifying address of the member of council to the place of the meeting, councillors felt the annual payment was simply not enough.

County hires Gravenhurst's CAO for top administrative job

MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

Gravenhurst's chief administrative officer is about to make a move south.

Late last week, Gary King accepted the job as Haliburton County's CAO and will be ready to start in early December.

"County council looks forward to a long and rewarding relationship with Mr. King as its senior appointed officer," a press release from the county says.

King will replace Bill Rice,

who's been working for the county as a consultant part-time while helping the county find a full-time replacement for Les Shepherd, who accepted a job in the Brockville area after several years with the county.

As well as his two years at Gravenhurst, King has held progressively more responsible municipal positions in other jurisdictions, starting with the County of Peterborough and then moving to the County of Grey, the Township of Thurlow and the City of Belleville.

He has a Bachelor of Environmental Studies degree from the University of Waterloo

with honours in urban and regional planning. His original vocation was in planning and he continues to hold memberships in the Ontario Professional Planners Institute and the Canadian Institute of Planners.

In addition, he has experience in labour relations, economic development and municipal clerk's duties.

He's married with three children and enjoys camping, fishing, hunting and other activities.

At last week's special county council meeting, council approved a salary range of \$70,000 to \$83,000 for the position.

First candidate steps forward for school board

Here are some updates in regards to the November 13 vote-by-mail municipal elections.

- The county finally has its first candidate for trustee on the Trillium Lakelands District School Board. Valerie Smith of Harcourt has put her name forward. Others have expressed interest. There is one trustee from all of Haliburton County on the school board.

- Caye Killaby of St. Nora's Lake has thrown her hat into the ring for reeve of Sherborne,

Stanhope et al. Cathy Carroll is running for councillor in Ward 2 (Stanhope.)

An all-candidates meeting has been set for Sat., October 28 at 7:30 p.m. in Dorset.

- The all-candidates meeting for Dysart et al is Fri., Oct. 20 at 7:15 at the Northern Lights Pavilion (at the high school.)

New councillor candidates include Robert Heinze for Ward 5 and Mel Smith for Ward 3.

- In Minden Hills there are two new candidates for Ward 2 (Lutterworth): David Pearsons

of Moore Falls and Ingram Wessell of RR 1 Norland.

- The deadline for declaring candidacy is Fri., Oct. 13.

- For readers in northern Victoria County, there will be three all candidates meetings for the positions of mayor, Ward 3 (Somerville) councillor and trustee: Fri., Oct. 20 at 7:30 p.m. at the Burnt River Somerville Centre, Burnt River; Wednes. Oct. 25 at 7:30 at the Baddow Community Hall; and Sat. Oct. 28 at 7:30 p.m. at the Highlands Theatre in Kinmount.

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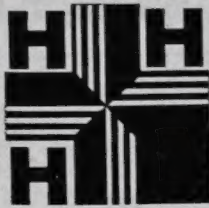


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Dorset school

Committee will review enrollment stats, programming

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representatives from the school selected in consultation with the school council, one additional community member or a third parent if necessary, the principal, one teacher from the school, two trustees and the area superintendent. Designated facility service staff from the Board (transportation, finance) will also be consulted as resource individuals.

Once in place, the committee will look at several variables in determining the fate of the school.

They will review present enrollment and try to make predictions on future enrollment as well as the capacity of the school. The current attendance boundaries or catchment area will be analysed and the possibility of expanding the geographic boundary of the school com-

munity will be explored as well as the possible expansion of existing programs or the future introduction of new programs. The committee will also look at the effects on community education and recreational activities, the financial effects of closing or not closing the school and a possible alternative use for the building. The ability of other schools to take on the extra students, with Irwin Elementary in Dwight being the logical choice, will also be considered.

The review committee is expected to meet four to six times in the next six months with all the meetings open to the public. As well, at least one of the meetings will provide an opportunity to hear from delegations to hear their arguments.

"Anybody with a point of view can be heard at the

committee," said Robinson, noting the goal is to make the committee an open and consultative process. Robinson said nothing is going to be decided on the spur of the moment and there will be plenty opportunities for the community to voice their concerns.

Once all of the variables have been researched, the School Review Committee will then make a presentation to the school board along with a written report of final recommendations. The board as a whole will then make the final decision on whether the school will be closed or not.

While the board has until next June to make a decision, Robinson hopes to have it earlier.

"Our target is far before that," said Robinson, noting the time needed to make necessary organisational and staff arrangements if the school is to be closed. "It would not be wise to leave this till June or May."

One member of the public noted the closure process itself is stressful and drives people out of the community and encourages students to move to other schools before a decision is even made. As well, some parents were worried that it would become an annual affair.

Robinson said that the school would not be a candidate again next year, but could be reviewed in the future and noted that Dorset Elementary is not alone.

"A lot of boards are faced with this problem. There is a lot of pressure on small schools."

Robinson remarked that across Ontario elementary school numbers are down and day cares and minor hockey leagues are also not getting the number of kids they used to.

A second Haliburton County school, Gooderham Elementary, has already been identified as a candidate for closure next year.

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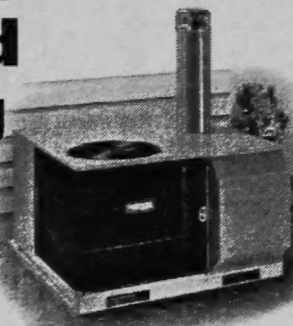
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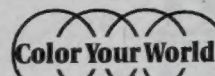
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Health unit says regular septic inspections a good idea... in principle

MARTHA PERKINS
Editor

While it agrees in principle with a suggestion to have all septic systems inspected on a regular basis, the district health unit is not as confident about the practicality of such an endeavour.

"We don't have the resources to inspect all old systems and the other question is 'who pays?'" said Dr. Alex Hukowich, chief medical officer of health, at a recent board meeting at Wigamog.

The other problem is the inefficiency of any testing method. At present, if the health unit inspects a septic system because of a complaint, it's a case of looking to see if there are "any obvious break outs of materials" through the soil.

"Regular inspections would find more failed systems but it would not find every faulty system," says Dr. Hukowich. "The inspection provides no guarantee that the system works for a certain period of time."

What if a person with a faulty system knows when the inspection would be? They could try to reduce use of the system hoping the ground would dry up before the inspector arrived, Hukowich said.

"It's a starting point anyway," said board chairman Keith Tallman of the board's support in principle of a



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Dr. Alex Hukowich says regular inspections of septic systems would not be a guaranteed way to discover the ones not working well. As well, the health unit does not currently have the resources for such a task. However, he and the health unit's board members, including chairman Keith Tallman, at right, agree with the Paudash Lake Conservation Association that more needs to be done.

letter from the Paudash Lake Conservation Association.

President Gerry Hunnius writes that the association "strongly believes there is a necessity for a provincial legislative framework which would mandate periodic inspection of all septic systems to ensure they do not endanger our water supplies. In particular, we believe the standards should be strengthened so that substandard systems must be repaired or replaced, prior to reaching a level of actually polluting. We believe it is time to consider that a certificate of satisfactory inspection be a requirement at the time of sale of any property with a septic system. It is simply not fair that an owner who has not properly maintained a system should be

able to pass the problem on to a prospective buyer."

Hunnus noted that in Lake of Bays, property owners are assessed \$10 a year to cover the \$50 cost of inspecting septic systems once every five years.

One board member said that while he agreed with an inspection when properties changed hands, "I don't think we're in the business of telling municipalities what to levy."

At present, the health unit provides a service to municipalities to inspect all new septic systems. There is no charge to taxpayers because it is a user-pay program. The health unit will only inspect existing septic systems if there's a complaint.

West Nile Virus may not become a serious threat, district's chief medical officer of health says

The discriminating tastes of mosquitoes may prevent the West Nile Virus from being a major threat to Ontario residents, the district health unit's medical officer of health says.

"The West Nile Virus primarily infects birds and there are some families of mosquitoes that feed on birds and

don't like humans. They are discriminate feeders," Dr. Alex Hukowich said at the health unit's board meeting.

So while one dead crow which is believed to be infected with the virus was found in the Windsor area, it is not cause for panic, he said.

"My expectation is it isn't the first bird that's found

that will result in human illness," he said. Instead, there would have to be a lot of infected birds and therefore a lot of the bird-biting mosquitoes.

"You need a critical number of birds infected to have people infected... Whether we'll reach some critical stage, that's still unclear," Dr. Hukowich said.

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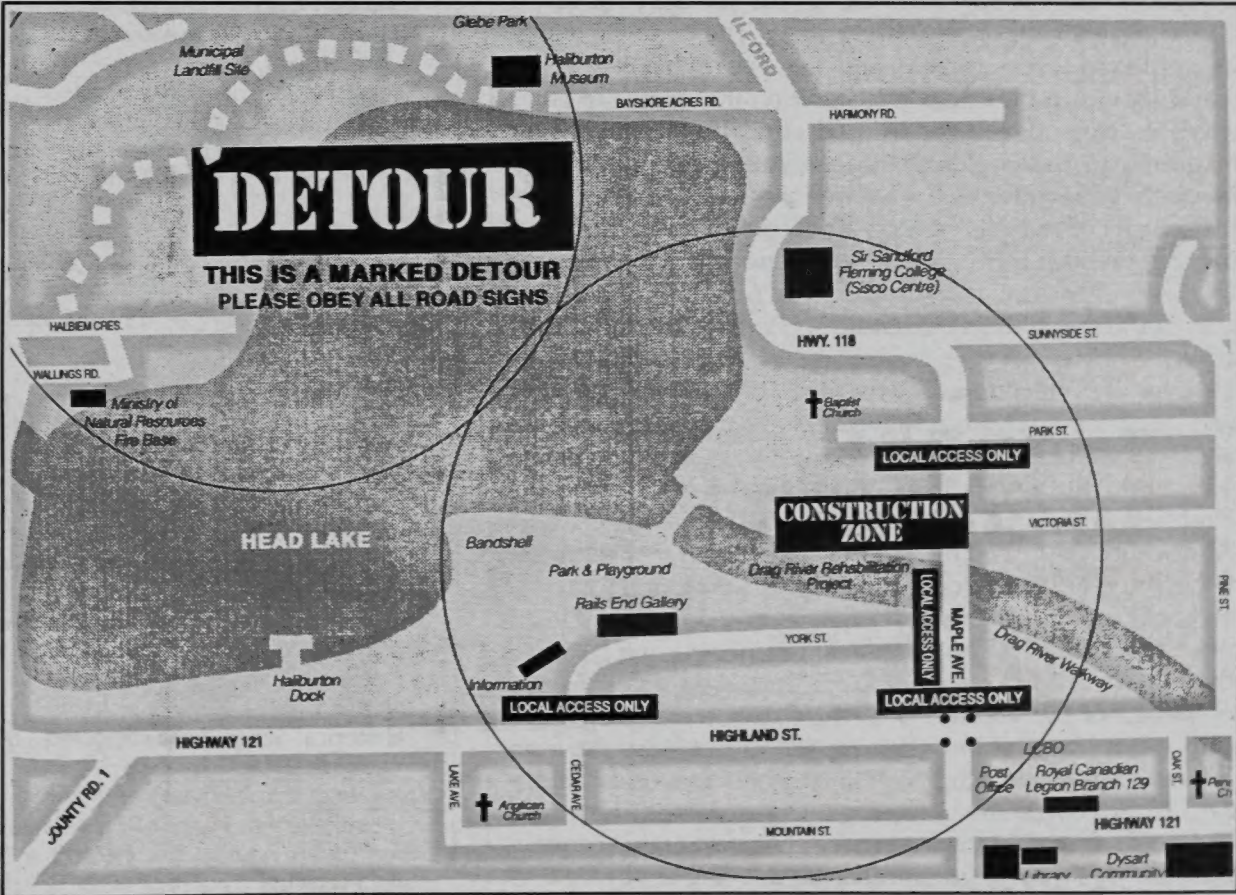
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A caring community

Twice in this week's Echo there's reference to the fact other communities envy what we have here. They're not talking about the area's natural beauty, which we have in so much abundance that we risk taking it for granted. And they're not talking about a strong economic base, which we're still struggling to attain since, as the saying goes, you can't eat the scenery. Instead, they're talking about one of the most valuable resources of all - caring, committed people.

At Extendicare, a facility with the same number of residents as Hyland Crest in a fraction of the space, more than 200 people regularly make their way to the home to help make the residents feel they are still part of a community.

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These volunteers sing and dance, they bring their pets or they come only with their smiles. They treat the residents with respect and compassion, and find their own special place of love and friendship in return.

The vice-president of Extendicare's eastern operations says such volunteer support is extraordinary. "I'm in awe," Sue Cullen says in the story about Haliburton Extendicare's volunteer appreciation dinner.

In the story about Saturday's honours and awards ceremony at the Haliburton Highlands Secondary School, Wayne Cooper remarks that for such a small place, it's amazing that the county community contributes \$30,000 in scholarships and awards. "We are the envy of other schools," he said.

So for all the disparaging things that are said about young people today, it's evident that this county has pride in its youth, especially as they prepare to leave the foundation of home and embrace the opportunities provided by university, college or the work force. The high level of financial support for their endeavours speaks of both a realization of how expensive it is to take advantage of those opportunities, and the belief the community has in their potential success.

As you sit there in the high school gym, watching the students nervously cross the stage to receive their accolades, many of those in the audience feel a deep bond with these teenagers. Children to some, relatives to many, they are also known to an informal community of friends who have watched them grow and develop over the years. The clerk at the grocery store is now studying to be a nurse. The actors in Grease are moving on to a larger stage. The boy who struggled with academics is ready and able to earn his way in the world thanks to the school's recognition that there are other ways to learn. Given the limited educational and career resources in the Highlands, these young people have to move on, and who knows what will happen when they leave the security of the Highlands, but at least for a day they have the applause of a community to encourage them forward.

Likewise, the community has grown to know and love many of the residents at Extendicare. Perhaps frail now, they are remembered for the days when they were full and active members of the community, workers and parents, coaches and volunteers. Those achievements of the past are being honoured and respected by those who volunteer there today.

Without that community spirit, what a poor place the Highlands would be, despite the beauty, despite the lifestyle. And what makes the Highlands even better is that everyone is welcome to be part of that community. You don't have to be born here to feel you're from here. You don't need blood ties to be part of the Highlands family. If you don't believe that, then heed the words of Clara Burt, who was speaking on behalf of the volunteers at the Extendicare dinner. She said when she first moved here, she didn't stray far from home and got the feeling that Haliburton was a cold and distant place. Once she started getting involved, however, showing she was interested in becoming part of that community, she was warmly embraced into "a loving family."

It can happen to anyone.



Last leaves

by Len Pizzey/Echo

Romance and the Outdoorsman

Recently, my wife was reading another bodice-ripping paperback - the kind where the cover illustration shows a muscular, bare-chested frontiersman embracing a buxom heroine clad in a torn, sexy low-cut gown.

Naturally, this caught my eye.

And why not? It was an autumn scene and they were locking lips smack-dab in the middle of excellent grouse and woodcock habitat, right on a well-used deer trail too. To add insult to injury, his musket, a .54 calibre customized Kentucky squirrel rifle with checkered walnut stock, was propped carelessly against a tree. The fool was courting the woman when he could have impressed her even more by scaring up a squirrel or two for her to clean and cook. Hey,

I might not be Fabio, but I know a thing or two about romance.

I couldn't help but snicker.

Naturally, my wife asked what I was laughing at.

"Those funny lines on his stomach - what are they?" I inquired, steering clear of the oft-misunderstood I'd-rather-go-hunting-than-embrace-you-in-the-woods issue.

"They're called abdominal muscles. He has a washboard stomach," she said.

"Where's the rest of it?" I asked.

"That's all there is," she confirmed.

"You sure?" I questioned suspiciously.

"Yes, he's the unknowing heir to a railway empire, a wrongly-accused fugitive, an Apache warrior-prince, and a sensitive and caring poet who

happens to have the taut and glistening body of a Greek god. And his hobbies are cooking and cleaning," she explained.

"Fiction right?"

"Historical fiction," she corrected, "but entirely plausible."

Now bear in mind that this is a woman who won't believe that I once had a full head of hair. "Yeah, well, I can tell you he isn't an outdoorsman," I retorted.

"The stomach, huh?"

"Absolutely," I replied.

It's not that outdoorsmen don't have washboard stomachs - we do. But mine is strictly for fine washables - actually, several at a time.

Moreover, a couple of my hunting buddies also seem to have wash basin attachments. These shelter their feet from the rain which, of course, is an important consideration when you are exposed to the elements. And these guys are exposed several times a day depending on their fluid intake the night before.

This just shows that, unlike romance novel heroes, outdoorsmen are practical.

You won't catch us wearing skin tight buckskins and frilly silk shirts during deer season. Not willingly, anyhow.

Even so, my wife still laments that she is spoiled by my cougar-like physique. Not to brag, but once after I took my shirt off at a public beach, she said I spoiled it for several other women in the vicinity too.

So what's my secret?

First off, diet is important.

Typically, before the season, I follow a strict

diet based on the Canadian food guide. Usually, I follow it with one or two desserts and a second helping of the main course. This gives me the energy needed to fall asleep on the deer stand.

Otherwise, my grumbling stomach would alert deer.

Exercise also plays a small part in my pre-season preparation - a very small part.

Once, I tried a push-up and nearly succeeded having mastered the downward cycle almost immediately. However, fear of a repetitive motion injury

prevented me from breaking the plural barrier. It's just as well. Hunters with biceps are the first ones asked to help drag moose out of the swamp. Conversely, I have never been asked to drag so much as a snipe.

The bottom line here is that you don't have to be an able to run like a deer to be an outdoorsman. Then again, it sure helps when you put those squirrels down on the counter.

Trust me.

the not so great



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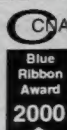
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A cartoon by Tom Swick. On the left, a construction worker wearing a hard hat and a plaid shirt over a t-shirt holds a large octagonal sign that says "SLOW". He is looking towards the right. The sign is on a pole. The background is simple with some horizontal lines.

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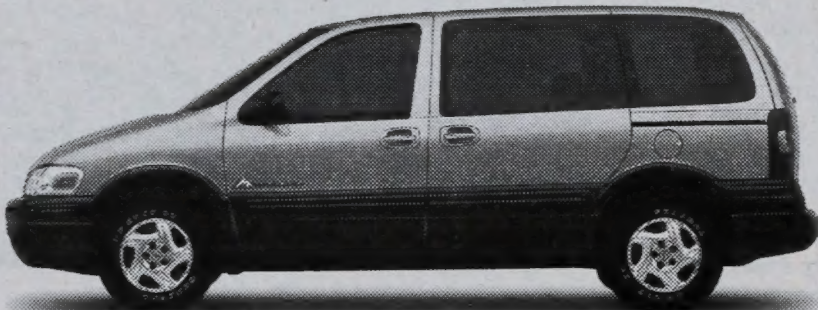
A cartoon by Tom Swick. On the right, the same construction worker from the first panel is standing. On the left, a woman with curly hair and glasses is handing him a large stack of money. She is smiling. The construction worker is also smiling and looking at the money. A speech bubble from the woman says "TANK YOU LADY". A speech bubble from the construction worker says "BUY YOURSELF SOMETHING NICE...". The background is simple with some horizontal lines.

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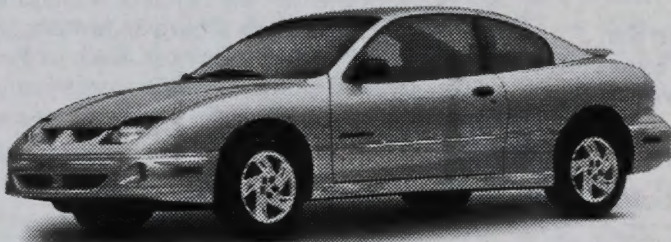
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To the Editor:

Ten years later, things are not any better. Contrary to the research a CBC News report dated January 12, 2000, stated that

These are just a few of many reports that are very contradictory to the position of the "doctors note" recently published in your paper. Learning from other's experience can also be very beneficial (and life saving). According to an article on Yahoo News (www.yahoo.com), 33 percent of elderly people in the UK surveyed said that they were worried about the side effects of vaccination and would not except a free flu vaccine. This is perhaps because they have seen their friends suffer the all too

I hope this is enough to shock us into using some common sense, and avoiding the flu shot. I suggest that we consider that there are proven strategies to strengthen the immune system naturally.

It is unfortunate that there are still remnants in the healing professions who believe that healing comes from the outside. True health comes from within and that starts with a healthy nervous system – the system that co-ordinates every cell of the body, including the immune system.

To the Editor:

To Mrs. Pizzey, Mr. Vaughan, Mr. McKinley, Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. Willis, Ms. Gough (now Bolt), Ms. Peregino (now Mark), Mrs. Cox, Mr. Mowat, Mr. Carter, Mr. Penfold, Mr. Scully, Ms. Brown (now Duchene), Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Dawson, Mr. Tose, Mr. & Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Valentine and Mrs. Medley: I owe my current success to all of you.

Teachers, colleagues, friends: I thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Corry Ziorjen
Sent by e-mail

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final ministry approval to proceed with the projects. Thanks Hugh, for a job well done.

In closing, I wish to again thank each and every one of you for your support of our new health care facilities. It has truly been a community effort. An effort we can all be proud of.

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Health unit applauds province's program to give everyone a flu shot to prevent outbreak

MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

The health unit is still trying to sort of the logistics of immunizing most Ontario residents against influenza.

People can't start to be immunized until October for the vaccine to be effective, but since it takes time to build up a person's immunity, the vaccination should take place before mid-December.

In an effort to reduce overcrowding at hospital emergency departments this winter, the province has agreed to pay the cost of the vaccine and cover some of the costs of administering it. The health unit will be paid \$5 a shot.

"We have to take every advantage of the opportunity to get people immunized," said Dr. Alex Hukowich at a recent district health unit board meeting at Wigamog.

"I think the province is to be commended for putting money into trying to prevent influenza," he said, especially since it's such an important commitment to disease prevention. Such a large scale immunization program has never been tried before because of the cost and "Ontario is the first to say it's worth the investment."

The health unit has agreed to take on much of the immunization program. It first plans to visit schools and give the shots to children (with parental con-

sent.)

"The irony is that although the focus has been on older people being immunized because they are most at risk of complications (from the flu), it's younger people who will be better immunized (by the vaccination) and it's younger people who tend to spread the flu virus," he said.

Children in schools become a "major reservoir" for the virus. They get it earlier and although they don't get as sick, that's not always the case with the people they spread it to.

Some people are worried about adverse reactions to the vaccine, but Dr. Hukowich says the vaccine is more effective than the drugs people take once they get the flu and children get better immunity from the vaccine.

It has yet to be decided how to immunize the adult population. (Doctors will continue to vaccinate seniors and people at high risk.)

"Our success in large measure will be based on what the demand is," he said, noting that because the province has made an ongoing commitment to the program, many of the problems can be worked out this first year.

Since there are times when the health unit writes letters of complaint to the province, board members decided it was only fair to write a letter to the province praising it for such an initiative.



MARTHA PERKINS/ECHO

The recent official opening of the new healthcare facilities in Haliburton provided local service clubs with the perfect opportunity to further their commitments to the project. Above, Andy Salvatori of the Haliburton Rotary Club gives Gord Monk, chairman of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation board, and Don Popple, chairman of the board's capital fundraising committee, a cheque for \$50,000 as part of the club's commitment of \$250,000. Below, Haliburton Lions President David Mills presents a cheque for \$2,000. Most of the money was raised at a big band concert this summer.



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My thanks to everybody who attended.

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Jane van Nood, for reading the Poem.
Carla & George Landsperger, for the flowers and accommodating the Alpenplayboy's.

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Up and coming blues singer to help raise money for healthcare facilities

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to see a star performer in a small club before fame lures them to large venues?

Chris Chown returns to the Haliburton Legion, Friday, October 13! This rock and blues sensation is considered by many to be one of the greatest young guitar players in North America.

Chris Chown, Ryan Spong (base player), and Chuck Keeping (drums) have had an exciting year with the release of a new CD as well as having the honour of being one of the opening acts at the BB King Blues Festival at Molson Park.

The Kingston Blues Festival marked a huge success for the band as they were the main draw and were approached by a representative of Dan Ackroyd to pick up a copy of the new CD (Mr. Ackroyd was absent due to illness).

The band thoroughly enjoyed playing for the Haliburton crowd

Personal support workers discover what's available for their clients

Various service providers gathered together recently to ensure that front-line aid workers are aware of all the services open to them.

The information evening at Lakeside Baptist Church was organized by Beth Archibald, administrator of Haliburton Highlands Health Services' Supportive Housing program.

Designed to inform Personal Support Workers (PSWs) about what was available locally, the workshop included presentations from Haliburton County Home Support Services, the Community Care Access Centre, the HHHS, VON Adult Day Centre, Haliburton County Association for Community Living, non-profit housing and the Alzheimer's Society.

PSWs, who work with such agencies as the HHHS, Red Cross and Paramed, "often end up being the family to the clients they see and they need to know what's out there for their clients so they can stay in the community longer," Archibald says. "They can be a real catalyst for getting services but only if they know the service exists..."

"It was a really great time to work together."

last year and assure us an even better performance this year.

Tickets are \$20 and are available at Henwood's Variety, Hill Chiropractic and Physiotherapy, the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation office, as well as from Rotarians. Doors open at 8:30 and a pizza buffet will be served at midnight.

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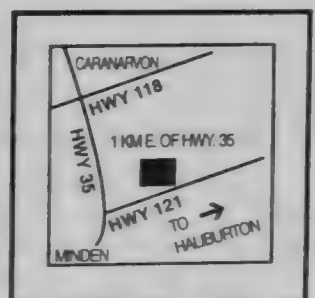
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County council briefs

Ambulance service gets new name

MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

The following are brief reports of items discussed at the September 27 meeting of county council.

The official name of the new ambulance service will be the Haliburton County Emergency Medical Services, or Haliburton County EMS.

The county is slated to take over the service as of November 1. It has hired Bob English as manager and has meetings with the Ministry of Health, which currently provides the service, to further ensure a smooth transition.

The EMS workers will become part of the county's CUPE local. This move may be protested by the workers' present union, OPSEU, which has sued all other jurisdictions involved with a changeover, reported Dysart et al Reeve Murray Fearrey of the personnel committee.

The official openings of the two sites are 10 a.m. in Haliburton and 11 a.m. in Minden on November 3.

Library break-in

Two computers were recently stolen from the Haliburton library, Stanhope Reeve Eleanor Harrison reported. The library was broken into and both the computer used to find book titles and the Community Access Program computer for free internet access were taken.

The county's insurance will cover the thefts.

Roads

Over the next four years, the roads

department wants to spend about \$2-million a year on road construction projects.

Saying it was a "ballpark" figure, Lutterworth Reeve Jim McMahon said that such a long-term goal gives the department the opportunity to better plan and prioritize projects. "Nothing is cast in stone; it's a guiding principle."

Personnel

Council is very pleased with the work done by acting CAO Bill Rice, a Sudbury consultant who is working part-time for the county as it searches for a replacement for former CAO Les Shepherd.

Anthony thanked him for "a superior method of organizing our work here."

Fearrey said Rice has "done a fantastic job" in finding a strong field of candidates for the CAO position. (A new CAO was hired last week. See story page 5.)

Children's Aid

As caseloads increase, the province is experiencing a shortage of Children's Aid Society workers, McMahon said in his report.

There's a need for 700 case workers in Ontario. Given the shortage, there's a "competition agency to agency for experienced staff. They seem to be going where the workload is less and the salary is higher."

In July, there were 29 new children who became clients of the CAS, which discharged 11 children, still leaving a net gain of 18 new clients, reflecting a trend across the province.

CASes province-wide have asked the province to "sweeten the funding pot" by \$200-million to address the problem.



LEN PIZZEY/Echo

Dr. Laurie Brown had a busy Saturday recently when she and other vets took part in the low-cost rabies vaccination program across the county recently. The annual event is done in conjunction with the health unit to reduce the spread of the disease.

Haliburton VON adult day service gets additional \$62,500 funding from province

The provincial government is providing additional support to local branches of the Victorian Order of Nurses (VON) for the expansion of adult day/respite services for people with Alzheimer disease.

The announcement will see the Haliburton County branch of the VON receive \$62,500 for adult day services. The Peterborough County branch will receive \$149,066 for a mobile outreach program in the area.

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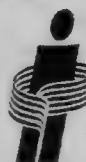
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Mousing around

Sandy Griffith and Louis Ferracuti are transfixed by the education game they discovered on a computer at the J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School open house last Thursday night. The school was full as students introduced their parents to their teachers and showed them all that had been accomplished already.

MARTHA PERKINS/ECHO



Dog leads officer to marijuana patch; Lutterworth man and woman charged

On Sept. 28, an off-duty officer with the Haliburton Highlands OPP was jogging along the rail line in Snowdon Township when he noticed a male and female driving along rail line. The vehicle stopped for a period of time and left the scene.

The officer went to where the vehicle had been stopped and located a dog. The dog went down a path and the officer followed. At the end of the path, 95 marijuana plants were located, some cut, and others uncut. Their value was approximately \$95,000.

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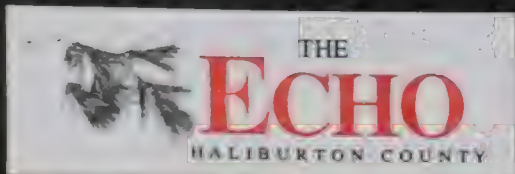
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Novice B season kicks off on Saturday

by Wendy Sisson

The Novice B team for 2000-2001 appears to be that of enthusiasm, skill, and a sense of team work. The players and coaches have been working hard and are looking forward to starting their regular season.

This year's team welcomes some veteran Novice players as well as some new additions to the Novice ranks.

Introducing first the coaching staff: coach Hugh Nichol, assistants Blair Cooper and Rich Yavis, and trainer

Scott Watson.

The team consists of the following 11 players. In goal, Curtis Nichol; on the ice will be Craig Cooper, Kevin Cooper, Riley Sisson, Adam VanNood, Luke Watson, Brett Yavis, Ryan Richards, Jacob Woodward, Keaton Gadway, and Drew Paul.

The team's first game is Saturday October 14 in Ops and then they return home on Sunday to play Omeme at 4:15. The boys are excited and the coaches are determined that this will be a fun season.

New routines pay dividends

There are several Mind-body exercise methods out there for you to choose from. Here are a few that are available in our county: yoga, pilates, tai-chi and Qi Gong.

Yoga involves directing your attention and breathing as you assume a series of poses, or stretches; this improves flexibility, focus and awareness of the breath.

Pilates includes floor-work and equipment-based exercises. It conditions the whole body but is particularly effective for developing the torso (core) and abdominal musculature. Again breathing, posture, flexibility, strength, and mobility are improved.

Qi Gong - Tai Chi: involves performing a series of movements while paying attention

to the body and staying aware of the breath. Effective for focus, coordination and balance.

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Atom A's still unbeaten

by Patti Tallman

The Atom A Huskies were at home against Mariposa Friday night for their second win. The players centered on the opponent's half of the ice surface for an aggressive game. With some awesome passing from the defencemen to the front line the Huskies kept it home for a 4 - 2 win.

The outstanding play of the game for the Huskies had Tyler Watson scoring with two Huskies in the penalty box but that wasn't it for Tyler as he persisted for a hat trick. Other point-getters were Matt Johnston, Kenton Winn, Stephen Miscio, Jessee Tallman, and Ryan Scheffee.

After a few turkey dinners the boys packed on the extra energy to take it to Ops for a hot game on Monday night winning 13 - 2. On defence, Kenton Winn had 11 shots on goal and Dallyn Smith had 10 shots on goal. Each player picked up some points with the Huskies outshooting Ops 50 - 4.

The Huskies showed great support for each other with an excellent assortment of passing and hustling for the puck by each player. Keep up the good work!

Don't forget this week's Huskie e-mail address: friday7pm&saturday630pm@haliburtonarena.on.ca

Haliburton Men's Hockey League Players of the Week



Dan Gainforth



Scott Clements

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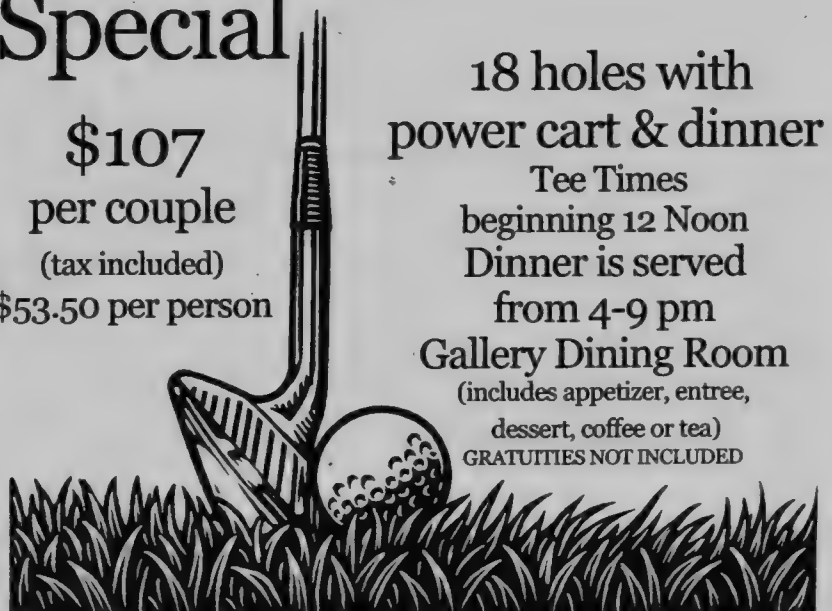
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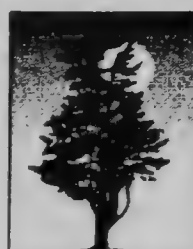
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Tykes open with solid win

by Stephanie Kuno

The Husky Major Tyke team hosted Ops on Saturday for their season opener. The familiar faces from last year are showing improved confidence in their hockey skills and assertiveness in their game play, in particular Brandon Yake and Zane Zondervan. Welcome to two new players, Nick Freeman and Riley Maracle. Their energy and team play (two assists each), fits right in with this Husky pack.

The coaching staff had the boys trying out all the positions and the boys responded well. Mark Vasey was diligent at both setting up the play offensively and protecting goalie, Thomas Nichol, defensively.

Haliburton dominated the play and gave the Ops goalie a good workout. Chris Judge, Carson Roberts, and Ian Bottum were the goal scorers for this game. The final score, 7 - 1 Huskies.

Husky fans keep that positive energy flowing as the boys travel to Bobcaygeon on Friday for the next game.

Husky Home Game Schedule

October 7, Major Tykes vs Ops 3:00
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October 15, Novice B vs Omeme 4:15
October 15, Atom B vs Sunderland 5:15
October 21, Minor Tyke vs Beaverton 2:00
October 21, Major Tyke vs Minden 3:00
October 22, Major Tyke vs Mariposa 12:30
October 22, Atom B vs Fenelon Falls 5:15
November 5, Minor Tyke vs Bobcaygeon 11:30
November 5, Novice B vs Minden 4:15
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November 12, Minor Tyke vs Mariposa 11:30
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November 17, Atom B vs Wilberforce 6:00
November 18, Novice B vs Manvers 4:00
November 19, Major Tyke vs Omeme 12:30
November 19, Novice B vs Fenelon Falls 4:15
November 26, Atom B vs Woodville 5:15
December 2, Novice B vs Bobcaygeon 4:00
December 3, Atom B vs Cannington B2 5:15

Peewees start season in winning fashion

by Roy Burk

The Husky Peewees started off the season with an exhibition game against Bancroft on Sept. 22 at home. The game was end to end with the two teams playing two different styles of hockey. The Huskies was the better as they came away with an 8 to 1 win. All of the boys contributed to the win, especially goalie Chris Johnston. He came up big several times throughout the game.

The regular season started on Fri. the 29th at home against a rather larger team from Omeme. They scored first although the Huskies seemed to dominate the game. Their size seemed to keep the Huskies off balance enough so that they couldn't finish off plays. In the third period, Kevin Crofts took advantage of a misplay by one of their defencemen and skated in for a hard shot and tied game. That was the way that game ended.

The following Sunday was the Huskies' first away game. Ops was another large team but they had no advantage. The Huskies came out ready to play, the first ended tied due mostly to bad luck than bad management. In the second, Aaron Donaldson got Haliburton started when he scored with

Tim Pettit and Ryan Bottum assisting. In the third Ops tied it up but within minutes, Aaron gave Haliburton the lead with a feed from Jesse Johnson. No. 4 scored a hat trick with only two minutes left to give Haliburton the insurance goal. Tim and Justin Abbs had the helpers on that goal. Jesse ended the scoring with only 1:14 left. Tim got his third point on the assist and the Huskies went home 4 to 1 winners.

Tuesday found us taking the long drive to Millbrook but it was worth it. Unfortunately, the Huskies spotted them two goals early in the first. Tim got Haliburton going late in the first with help from Aaron and Kevin Bowman. Jesse tied the game and the Huskies were on their way. Tim and Kevin Crofts assisted on the play. Jesse returned the favour to Tim late in the second when Tim gave Haliburton the lead. The defence turned it up a notch in the third as they allowed only a half a dozen shots on net. Tim got the hat trick early in the period with help from Adam Sisson and Ryan. Adam ended the scoring with an empty netter in the last seconds of the game. The play started with both Kevin's passing the puck up the ice.

It was a 5-2 victory for Haliburton and a great start to the season.

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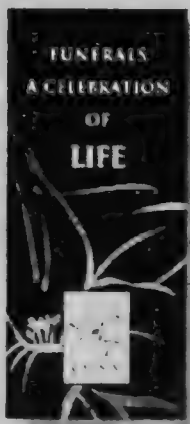
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Feature by
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A MUSICAL EDUCATION

*Haliburton's Lutz Haedicke discovers the power
and pitfalls of the recording industry*

IF THE GERMAN MUSIC INDUSTRY was a gang of thugs in a street fight, then Haliburton folk-pop musician Lutz Haedicke would be the tough little alley-punk that wouldn't stay down.

Actually, he's not so little, but the six-foot-something German-born singer/song writer knows first hand what it's like getting the industry run-around from the likes of music giant EMI records.

After moving back to Germany in 1997 to be with his high school sweetheart, a 20-year-old Haedicke had barely been playing guitar for four years when his friends started feeding him compliments. "(They'd say) you can do this, your voice is great! The songs are catchy," Haedicke remembers.

It wasn't long until Haedicke was introduced to some musicians his cousin knew working on the set of the musical *The Buddy Holly Story*. But it also wasn't long until the bottom fell out of his relationship, landing him on a plane back to Haliburton to regroup.

With steady work as a chef at his parents' resort, Halimar Lodge, during summers, Haedicke mulled over his decision to return and decided that he had more connections in Germany to get his music career off the ground. Upon his return there in 1998, Haedicke's cousin then introduced him to EMI producer Marcus Bienapfle who definitely liked what he heard.

This new-found door had opened up, exposing Haedicke to a world filled with recording sessions with paid studio musicians, and the unfortunate introduction to the complicated recording contract.

"The whole thing was just un-serious," says Haedicke, who recalled being handed a contract to sign while riding in the back seat of a Porsche Cabrio.

After his lawyer simplified the German legal speak to him, he soon realized that the contract would result in the shift of artistic control away from him and to the record company. Haedicke respectfully declined, and once again returned to Haliburton to get his act together.

"That's when the writing spree started," Haedicke says, "one song after another, sometimes three songs in one day."

Influenced early on by the music of Bob Dylan, Donovan, Cat Stevens, The Rolling Stones, and "Beatles, Beatles, Beatles all the

time," Haedicke began developing his own power-pop, folksy acoustic guitar style. With more modern influences from bands such as Alice In Chains and Montreal's Moist, Haedicke's often mysterious and radio friendly tunes are uplifted by his Blue Rodeo-esque vocals.

Just when things back in Canada were beginning to make sense again, the phone rang, and on the other end was EMI calling with the news that Sony Music was interested in hearing some new material. Haedicke found himself, once again, in a recording studio back in Germany where he recorded acoustic demos of more 30 new songs. EMI's producers picked a "hit" and the song was recorded presumably for Sony to hear.

"And that's when the bull— started coming," Haedicke says. Not only did the record company want to change his image to a more Backstreet Boys look to appeal to the German teenie-boppers, but the song he recorded only made it as far as a few other producers, never reaching Sony's brass.

"They have to be sure of the hit before they go to Sony," said Haedicke, who was willing to sacrifice his own personal image to further his career. But after sitting around Germany and waiting for over two weeks before contacting EMI, who then wanted him to record a Depeche Mode cover song, he finally drew the line. "I just said no, sorry, I'm not going to do that."

Returning to Haliburton again last April, Haedicke is content writing songs in his "Tower," the top floor of a boathouse structure overlooking Kashagawigamog Lake. Songs such as *Hero*, inspired by a Playstation James Bond video game, or the life metaphor *Two Fish* - "Cause every fish is prey to some other predator/ and time decides if you're a survivor/ don't avoid the change just go with the flow," Haedicke sings. "It's the journey of life put into the role of a fish... Sometimes we (Haedicke and his girlfriend) felt like we were going against the current."

His plans to continue working towards a career in music still live on, with the help of

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A voice for students

Former student trustee now turns her attention to being regional president of the Ontario Secondary School Students' Association

MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

Teenagers certainly have a lot of opinions about what's happening in the school system, but since most of the decisions are made by adults, they can often feel powerless.

Kim Varty, an 18-year-old OAC student at HHSS, has brought to the Highlands an organization she says can provide an effective voice for students.

In June, Kim was elected as president of the central east region of the Ontario Secondary School Students' Association, which has four main goals:

- to act on issues of concern to secondary school students
- to determine and represent what is in the best interests of Ontario secondary school students and present it to the Ontario Ministry of Education and other appropriate organizations
- to provide resources and leadership training to students to help them achieve their own objectives, and
- to promote communication and co-operation amongst secondary school students.

Kim has already gone a long way in achieving these goals on a local level.

HHSS has never had representation on the OSSSA, and as last year's student trustee on the Trillium Lakelands District School Board, Kim learned what an effective organization it could be. As a member of "the group of seven" – representatives from each of the seven high schools in the district – she also learned why it was so important for students to work together on common interests.

"We're a resource so if students want to be pro-active they can come to us for information and contacts around the province."

Of course, with the controversial high school reforms underway, there's a lot for OSSSA to be talking about.

"Confusion is the biggest thing to overcome - who do we believe or how do we form our own opinions," she says. "We try to decipher the politics."

The group recently wrote a letter to the province's ombudsman, noting that students were unable to attend the June hearings on Bill 74 because the meetings were during the school day.

She's hesitant to say what "students" think about Bill 74 since there is such a range of viewpoints. "Every student has their own opinion and we can't say we represent all students, but we can be a student voice to let people know we are paying attention."



Kim Varty says her organization gives students a voice and she encourages them to use it.

There are 12 regions – Kim's includes Trillium Lakelands and the public and separate boards of Durham and Kawartha PineRidge – and each regional president sits on the provincial cabinet. The cabinet is run by a student premier, Peter Ramsay, and meets once a month in Toronto.

Today, as well as representing students in a huge geographic area that stretches from Muskoka to Lake Ontario, Kim's spending her first semester co-op classes organizing OSSSA's leadership development conference, set for four days in Peterborough in December.

"To be a leader is to listen to everyone's opinions," says Kim, who as a Grade 10 student, attended the Hobe Leadership Camp and became hooked on the importance of getting involved.

Anyone who wants to attend the Peterborough conference can pick up an application at the school. The fee is \$85 and traditionally, the student council picks up half the cost. The school can send as many students as it wants.

All of this makes for a busy life for Kim, who plans to enroll in a Bachelor of Science program once she graduates next year. But she seems to thrive on her responsibilities.

"It's so much fun," she says. "I like it when other students get involved with something you brought to the area."

She encourages all students and teachers to contact her about the issues or the leadership conference.

Musician won't give up

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his brother Jan and his best friend Travis McWilliams. "Travis believes in me so much, sometimes more than I do, that he encourages me and gives me more confidence," says Haedicke. And as Lutz and Jan record together using Jan's eight-track, McWilliams visits Haliburton frequently, travelling from St. Catharines to iron out the details of their move to Toronto in November. Haedicke plans on putting together a demo CD to get the ball rolling when he moves, and hopes to start playing live whenever and wherever he can in the big city.

Rest assured however, that Haliburton has played a huge part in helping Haedicke to develop his song writing skills. "If I didn't move to Haliburton, everything would be different. If I didn't have those long winters..."

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Extendicare volunteers honoured for their many contributions

MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

The residents at Haliburton's Extendicare have always known that the 200 volunteers who regularly share their smiles and talents with them are special people.

But Extendicare's head office knows it, too.

"I'm in awe," Sue Cullen, vice-president of Extendicare's eastern operations, told the gathered crowd of volunteers and residents at a recent appreciation dinner at the Haliburton Legion.

A native Albertan who has also spent five years in the United Kingdom, Cullen says that when she compares the volunteer initiatives in Alberta to those witnessed in Haliburton, "our volunteer program pales in comparison to what you have done here..."

"Haliburton is outstanding."

Cullen praised the volunteers, who have "such a powerful effect" in the residents' lives, showing patience, spirit, warmth and empathy.

"While nothing can replace family participation, the staff and residents have come to depend on volunteers," she said. "You really enhance the lives of our residents" because studies have shown that as we age, interaction with others helps us maintain our mental and physical health. "Residents show improvement in their states of mind and ability to stay connected with the community..."

"Thank you for your generous and selfless

commitment you demonstrate every day."

But volunteers also gain much from the experience, musical volunteer Clara Burt said. "You go because you know you'll feel good and they'll feel good."

She thanked the staff at the seniors home for making the volunteers feel so welcome. "Every time you go into Extendicare, you're greeted warmly, you're appreciated and you're loved. It feels like you're a part of their lives," said Burt, a member of A Joyful Noise.

Burt noted that when she first arrived in the Highlands, she "hermitted" herself and didn't get involved, therefore thinking this was a cold community. Her involvement with various activities, such as volunteering at Extendicare, has proved those first impressions wrong, she said. "When you get involved, you are part of a warm and loving family."

One of those "family" members, Extendicare resident Heinz Schneider, thanked the volunteers for their efforts and staff for a delightful evening out. (This year Barb Menzies had beautifully decorated the auditorium with an Oktoberfest theme, which was carried through in the music of Larry VanLieshout and Alan Mulder and dinner. Administrator Jane Rosenberg said "every year I say Barb can't get any better and every year I'm proved wrong.")

Schneider also presented a plaque to Robert Burns, who collected more than \$1,000 in pledges for the wheelchair rally. A photo of Extendicare's first-prize-winning Rotary Carnival float was presented to volunteer driver Nick Nimigon.



Robert Burns, at left, was presented with a special plaque by resident Heinz Schneider, seated, in recognition of raising more than \$1,000 in pledges for the wheelchair rally. A photograph of Extendicare's prize winning float was given to volunteer driver Nick Nimigon, on left, while Barb and John Menzies look on.

The evening had an Oktoberfest theme thanks to Barb Menzies' artful decorations of the Haliburton Legion auditorium and Larry VanLieshout's accordion music.

More than 200 people volunteer at the home for seniors in Haliburton.



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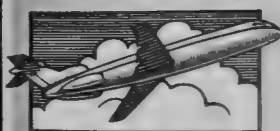
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That's the premise behind the workshop taking place from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sunday, October 22, at the Wigamog Inn in Haliburton. Live Well, Feel Well: Women Taking Care of Ourselves, is a workshop featuring guest speakers, discussions and displays on a number of health issues of concern to women.

The agenda for the day includes: Dr. Joyce Barrett speaking on Health Care by Choice, Linda Smith of Shawla Herbs Inc. discussing what women need to know about herbs and their use, and staff from the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit and The Women's Health Centre discussing how women can learn to love their bodies in Real Women, Real Bodies, Real Healthy. As well as these discussions, there will be a number of information displays for participants to view on topics such as diabetes, breast health, nutrition and heart health.

"Women often put a great deal of time and energy into caring for their families but don't put that same energy into caring for themselves," says Anne-Marie Cyr, a nurse with the HKPR District Health Unit, one of the organizers of the workshop. "This is an opportunity for us to come together to learn, laugh and recognize that we need to make more time for ourselves."

The workshop is being organized by the Haliburton Women's Wellness Day Committee, a group of community members and agencies interested in promoting women's health. Members include the HKPR District Health Unit, the Women's Health Centre, the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Ontario, Canadian Cancer Society, Canadian Diabetes Association, The Heart Connection and other community partners. Cost of the workshop is \$20, and includes a full day of activities as well as coffee, juice, muffins and a heart healthy lunch. Space is limited, so registrations for the event are being accepted until October 6, 2000. The Wigamog is wheelchair accessible, and child care is available upon request for an additional fee.

For more information, or to register, contact the Health Unit at (705) 457-1391.



Anne McKay and other war brides enjoyed a delicious buffet lunch at the Haliburton Legion recently. The afternoon was also a time to praise the women who signed up to help in World War II.

Legion celebrates efforts of war brides and service women

MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

It was their hearts which brought them to Canada and their courage which allowed them to forge a new life thousands of miles from home.

To honour the contributions made by war brides since their arrival after World War II, the Haliburton Legion Ladies Auxiliary hosted a special luncheon on Tuesday. Also feted were the service women who signed up with the war effort.

Reeve Murray Fearrey welcomed the 75 guests, saying it must have been a major decision for them to leave their homes in the United Kingdom and Europe and join their new husbands in Canada.

"I want to say how proud we are of war brides," Fearrey said, adding "this branch would not be here were it not for the contributions war brides made."

"It's with utmost admiration and respect we look upon each one of you and the contributions you made

to our communities," said Ethel Galvin, 1st vice-president of the Haliburton Legion while extending greetings on behalf of the branch.

"I too have a great admiration for you," said Ladies Auxiliary Zone F4 commander Margaret McLean. "There's no way in God's green earth I could have left my country and family and gone miles across the ocean to an unknown country."

The Rev. Jack Spencley, who gave the blessing, told of his recent trip to Europe where he and his wife Doreen saw the Passion Play in Oberammergau and visited both the castle where the declaration starting World War I was signed and the Eagle's Nest where Hitler gathered with his generals.

"I can't begin to tell you the depth of emotional feelings I had," he said, being in such a beautiful country where such evil was fomented.

He welcomed the war brides and service women, saying that his brother had brought home a beautiful young bride, too. "It must have taken a lot of courage to take that trip," he said. "It must have taken a lot of faith, hope and courage and love for their soldier boys. We owe them a great debt of gratitude."

After a delicious buffet lunch prepared by the Ladies Auxiliary, the women - some of whom travelled from Sudbury and North Bay - gathered for a group photo and then sang their favourite songs from the war years.

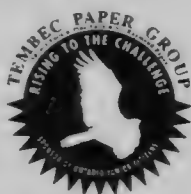
Some of the local war brides who participated were Mary Packard, Betty Inglis, Anne McKay, Eileen Morrison, Christina Dollo and Jane Graham.

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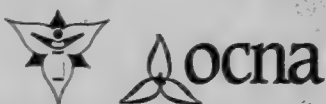
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Honours & Awards 2000

A *celebration* of academic and personal *achievement*

MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

Haliburton County wished its teenagers well when with the generous support of community donors, Haliburton Highlands Secondary School presented more than \$30,000 in awards to some of its hardest-working students.

Master of Ceremonies Wayne Cooper said "\$30,000 for such a small town is amazing. We are the envy of other schools."

"HHSS is thankful the county is with us in partnership," agreed Principal Gary Brohman, who also singled out teachers Wanda Mole and Brenda Robinson for their efforts in making the day the well-organized success it is.

When students are willing to work so hard, then "teachers have to work even harder in getting them where they want to go," Cooper said.

He welcomed Director of Education Evelyn Brown to the ceremonies and thanked the teachers who sit on the honours and awards committee. He noted that with the changes in the teachers' workload, community volunteers would also be welcome.

This year, a special award was set up for one of those community volunteers, Ken Wilson, a retired banker and local businessman who is stepping down from his 12 years as treasurer of the school's perpetual scholarship fund.

The following is a list of this year's recipients:



TOP STUDENT:

Principal Gary Brohman presents the Governor General's Academic Medal to Elizabeth Donnery, who had the highest average among last spring's OAC graduating class. Elizabeth is the third member of her family to earn this notable honour. Her sister Cara and brother Sheamus were top students in their graduating years

1999-2000 HONOUR STUDENTS

YEAR 1:

Lance Aggett, Amelia Ambridge, Eleanor Bathe, Kelly Berry, Dennis Cox, Lauren Dart, Vanessa Eastmure, Haley Emmerson, Morgan English, Matthew Flowers, Andy Fox, Adrienne Gnit, Danielle Griffin, Abby Hagerman, Brent Heise, Melanie Howitt, Meghan Kernohan, Shawn MacInnes, Mathew Manary, Lindsay Mitchell, David Morgan, Sarah Oakley, Chris Postill, Dylan Powers, Sandra Riley, Jamie Sala, Janet Shim, Norman Smith, Clara Suh, Brian Tink, Dan Vanier, Joann Varty, Josh Wales, Kelly Welch.

YEAR 2:

1 Year Honours:

Chris Bishop, Nick Coty, Hanna Kitchingman, Chad

Pentney.

2 Year Honours:

Amanda Boughner, Tori Browne, Jennifer Carpenter, Ben De Carlo, Kira Fry, Matt Hindman, Peter Lancia, Andrew Mansfield, Jennifer Moore, Jennifer Moynes, Casey Ogle, Tanya peacock, Lesley Pearsell, Amanda Robinson, Andrew Sachs, Stacey Schell, Justin Sharpley, Vanessa Smith, Alana Woodcock.

YEAR 3:

1 Year Honours: Heather Beggs, Philip Chandra, Rebecca Howitt, Sam James, Yolande Phillips, Marita Ragheb, Ryan Urquhart, Jennifer Watson.

2 Year Honours:

Sidney Barkowski, Sarah Billings, Krista Matysek, Talitha Pothaar.

3 Year Honours:

Jenna Benoit, Margaret Berube, Meredith Brown, Brian

Chow, Taryn Clarke, Curtis Danilko, Liane Dron, Michelle Fowler, Katharine Hagerman, Tanya Hunter, Laura Kennedy, Aaron Martin, Sara McGuire, Jeff Pentney, Brittany Prentice, Kaila Rawlings, Patti Riley, Michelle Russell, Alicia Sales, Kerry Schakelaar, Raymond Shim, Liz Thompson, Tracy Tibbitts, Trevor Woods.

The Honour Plaques, certificates and bars are donated by the teaching staff of Haliburton Highlands Secondary School.

YEAR 4:

1 Year Honours:

Sheena Barry, Jocelyn Eastmure, Sean Harvey, Lindsay

Logan, Amanda Manser, Kathie McKechnie, Ryan Newbatt, Adam Payne, Winter Quibell, Ryan Sisson, Ryan White.

2 Year Honours:

Trudy Bacon, Stacey Gill, Jaime Hughes, Sarah Jowett, Jennifer Minto, Leah Pothaar, Ann Raback.

3 Year Honours:

Paul Daniels, Lisa Gage, Carrie Huck, Karen Johnson, Katie Logan, Alexis Macnab, Kim McGuire, Laurie Turner.

4 Year Honours:

Jordana Bain, Jeff Bonham, Trevor Cole, Bobby Hebert, John Heffer, Carrie Heyes, Mark Hughes, Daniel Morgan, Brian Mulholland, Robin Newell,

Abbey Pearsell, Amy Petrow, Jake Roberts, Matthew Selbie, Kaija Siirala, Micah Smith, Kim Varty.

OAC:

2 Year Honours:

Greg Forgrave, Sarah Tusch.

3 Year Honours:

Greg Luck.

4 Year Honours:

Devon Dart.

5 Year Honours:

Amy Brandon, Reagan Brown, Landa Crego, Ryan Dawson, Elizabeth Donnery, Jennifer Ferguson, Helen Harris, Shelley Hirstwood, Ainsley Hoare, Erin Kernohan, Amy Pergolas, Stephanie Ratz, Matthew Reid, Michele Robinson, Graham Schakelaar, Eileen Shim, Jesse Sternberg, Daniel Vanderlip.

1999-2000 PERFECT ATTEN- DANCE

For 1 Year:

Kyle Danilko, Justin Pearce, Janet Shim. **For 2 Years:** Adrienne Clark, B.J. Fowler. **For 3 Years:** Margaret Berube, Trevor Cole, Raymond Shim.

YEAR 1 AND YEAR 2 AWARDS

The Eagle Lake Women's Scholarship for G2 Geography. Donated by the Eagle Lake Women's Association for the highest mark in Year 2 General Level Geography.

Award of \$50.

Hanna Kitchingman, 99%

The Eagle Lake Women's Scholarship for A2 Geography. Donated by the Eagle Lake Women's Association for the highest mark in Year 2 Advanced Level Geography.

Award of \$50.

Meghan Kernohan, 91%

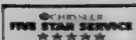
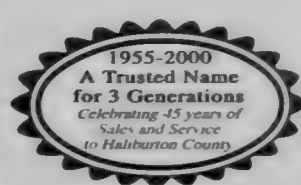
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This Year's
Honours &
Awards Recipients

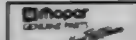


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The Year 2 Advanced Level French Award. Donated by the French Teaching Staff for the highest mark in Year 2 Advanced Level French.

Award of \$50

Vanessa Smith, 90%

The Archie Stouffer Memorial Scholarship. Established by Mrs. Archie Stouffer for the highest mark in Year 2 Advanced Level Science.

Award of \$50 each.

Amanda Boughner

Tori Brown

Vanessa Smith

The Archie Stouffer Memorial Scholarship. Established by Mrs. Archie Stouffer for the highest mark in Year 2 General Level Science.

Award of \$50.

Hanna Kitchingham, 84%

The Oral Communication Award. Presented by the Modern Languages Department of H.H.S.S. to encourage excellence in oral communication through speech competitions.

Award of \$35.

Megan Kernohan

The Jim and Doris Cooper Scholarship. Established by Mr. and Mrs. James B. Cooper for the highest mark in Year 1 Mathematics.

Award of \$70.

Josh Wales, 91%

The Wendy Schell Memorial Scholarship. Donated by Mr. and Mrs. Sidney L. Cooper for the highest mark in Year 2 General Level Mathematics.

Award of \$50.

Jeff Packard, 94%

The OSSTF M. R. Herlihey Environmental Award. Donated by the OSSTF to a male and female who have demonstrated outstanding leadership in Grade 10 Environmental Science.

Award of \$125 each.

Lisa Mitchell

Nick Coty

The John Tait Memorial Scholarship. Established by Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Tait for the highest mark in Transportation Technology Small Engines Course.

Award of \$200

Nick Coty, 89%

The Loyal Orange Lodge



Year One Honours students

#975 Scholarship. Established by the Loyal Orange Lodge #975 for proficiency in safety and cooperation, Year 1 Technology course.

Award of \$90.

Dan Vanier, 88%

The Legion Ladies, Auxiliary Junior Family Studies Award. Donated by the Ladies, Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129 for outstanding achievement in Year 1 or 2 Family Studies course.

Award of \$100.

Tanya Peacock, 90%

The Philip Payne Memorial Bursary. Established by the H.H.S.S. Students, Council for a deserving student completing Year 2.

Award of \$50.

Vanessa Smith

The Agnew's Red & White Award. Donated by Agnew's Red & White Store in Wilberforce for the highest mark in Grade 9 English.

Award of \$50.

Josh Wales, 94%

The Year 1 Academic English Award. Donated by Brenda Robinson for the second highest mark in Grade 9 Academic English.

Award of \$50.

Melanie Howitt

The O'Brien Family Scholarship. Established by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce O'Brien for the highest average in Year 1.

Award of \$50.

Janet Shim, 89.5%

The Haliburton Valu-Mart

Award. Donated by the Haliburton Valu-Mart Store for the highest mark in Computer Awareness, Year 2 General Level.

Award of \$150.

Steven Thornton, 86%

The V & S Department Store Retail Award. Donated by Mr. Andy Glecoff for the highest mark in Grade 10 Retailing.

Award of \$100.

Amanda Boughner, 94%

The Grade 9 History Award. Donated by Paul Morissette for the highest mark in the Grade 9 Canadian History course.

Award of \$100.

Not awarded this year.

The Emmerson Lumber Limited Award. Donated by Emmerson Lumber Limited for the highest total marks in Year 2 Communication Technology.

Award of \$100.

Iain Farrell, 84%

YEAR 3 AND YEAR 4 AWARDS

Canadian Mathematics Competitions Awards.

Award: Medal-School Winners Certificates of Distinction

Clara Suh - Pascal Contest Gr. 9

Vanessa Smith - Cayley Contest Gr. 10

Shea Horning - Fermat Contest Gr. 11

Daniel Morgan - Euclid Contest Gr. 12

The St. Paul's A.C.W. Award for Year 3. Donated by the Anglican Church Women of St. Paul's, Minden for success in

Year 3 Basic Level courses.
Award of \$50.

Julie Graham

The St. Paul's A.C.W. Award for Year 4. Donated by the Anglican Church Women of St. Paul's, Minden for success in Year 4 Basic Level courses.
Award of \$50.

Wes Fegan

The G4 English Scholarship. Donated by Chris Duchene for the highest mark in Year 4 General Level English.
Award of \$100.

Mitch Johnson, 92%

The A4 English Scholarship. Donated for the highest mark in Year 4 Advanced Level English.
Award of \$100.

Katharine Hagerman, 95%

The A3 English Scholarship. Donated by Ann Varty for the highest mark in Year 3 Advanced Level English.
Award of \$50.

Margaret Berube 97%

The G3 English Scholarship. Donated by Ann Varty for the highest mark in Year 3 General Level English.
Award of \$50.

Sara McGuire, 89%

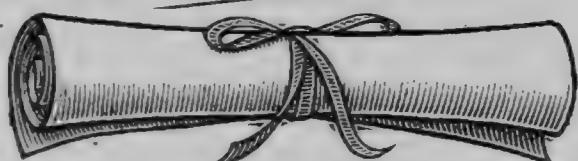
The Sherman Taylor Environmental Award. Donated by the Canning Lake Property Owners' Association for a student continuing studies at H.H.S.S. who has shown lead-

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Year Two Honours students

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ership in environmental issues.
Award of \$100.

*Ryan
Sisson*

**The J. Douglas Hodgson
Modern World History
Scholarship.** Established by J.
Douglas Hodgson for the high-
est mark in the Modern World
History course.

Award of \$200.
*Elizabeth Donnery, 95%
Amanda Chalmers, 95%*

The Year 3 French Award.
Donated by the French Teaching
Staff for the highest mark in
Year 3 Advanced Level French.
Award of \$50.

Jenna Benoit, 94%

The FSF OAC French Award.
Donated by the French Teaching
Staff for the highest mark in
Year 4 Advanced Level French.
Award of \$10.

Not offered this year.

**The Mary Medley Memorial
Award.** Established by friends
and relatives of Mary Medley
for two deserving students who
have shown commitment and
dedication to their studies in
French.

Awards of \$125 each.
*Daniel Morgan
Rebeka Bjelis*

**The Physical Geography
Scholarship.** Donated by Carl
Wallace for the highest mark in
Year 3 Advanced Level
Geography.

Award of \$100.
Raymond Shim, 93%

**The Travel and Tourism
Course Award.** Donated by
Mr. Wells Robertson for the stu-
dent who has shown the most
commitment and dedication to
the course.

Award of \$100.
Kori Roberts, 85%

**The Mathematics and Science
Award.** Donated by Mr. and
Mrs. Sidney L. Cooper for the

highest total mark in Year 4
Advanced Level Mathematics,
Year 4 Advanced Level Physics,
and Year 3 Advanced Level
Chemistry.

Award of \$100 and name
engraved on plaque.

*Abbey
Pearsell, 92%*

**The Technical Mathematics
Award.** Donated by Mr. Joel
Levis for the highest mark in
Grade 12 Technical
Mathematics.

Award of \$100.
*Sheena Barry,
96%*



Year Three Honours students

Taryn Thomas, 92%

Award of \$100.

Crystal Alton

The Legal Studies Award.
Donated by Mr. David Shapiera
for the highest mark in the law
course.

**The Haliburton Legion
Scholarship for Transportation
Technology.** Donated by the

**Home Builders' Association
Award.** This award will be pre-
sented to a student in Year 3 of
the General Level Construction
Technology Theory and
Practical Course who is most
improved and shows the great-
est interest in a career in home
building.

Award of \$100.

Kurt Teevens

**The Haliburton Legion
Scholarship for Technological
Design.** Donated by the Royal
Canadian Legion, Branch #129
for the highest total marks in
Technological Design, Year 3
General Level.

Award of \$50

Bryan Burke, 94%

**The Haliburton Legion
Scholarship for Notemaking.**
Donated by the Royal Canadian
Legion, Branch #129 for the
highest mark in BSN3A
Notemaking.

Award of \$50.

Not Awarded This Year

**The Curry Motors Limited
Award.** Donated by Curry
Motors Limited to a deserving
student in automotive manufac-
turing.

Award of \$100.

Crystal Alton, 84%

The Modern Electric Award.
Donated by the Payne and
Fawcett families to a deserving
student pursuing further studies
in Electricity or Electronics,
Year 4 General Level.

Award of \$100

Not Awarded This Year

**The United Auto Parts
Award.** Donated by Jim
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Year Four Honours students

Award of \$125.

Amy Brandon, 98%

**The Eagle Lake Food Town
Award.** Donated by Mr. and
Mrs. Allan Bagg for the highest
total marks in Year 3
Transportation Technology.

Award: Set of Power Tools,
Value \$150.

Bryan Burke, 90%

**The Laidlaw Transit Limited
Award.** Donated by Laidlaw
Transit Limited to a student
demonstrating a high standard
of technical proficiency in Year 4
General Level.

Royal Canadian Legion, Branch
#129 for the highest total marks
in Transportation Technology,
Year 4 General Level.

Award of \$50

Crystal Alton, 84%

**The Haliburton Legion
Scholarship for Construction
Technology.** Donated by the
Royal Canadian Legion, Branch
#129 for the highest total marks
in Year 3 Construction
Technology General Level.

Award of \$50.

Sid Barkowski, 93%

The Haliburton County

**The Arts and Science
Bursary.** Donated by Miss Joyce
Williams to a deserving student
who has completed Grade 12
and is continuing with O.A.C.'s.

Award of \$50.

*Daniel
Morgan*

**The Legion Ladies, Auxiliary
Senior Family Studies Award.**
Donated by the Ladies,
Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian
Legion, Branch #129 for out-
standing achievement in Senior
Family Studies.

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Richards of United Auto Parts for the highest total marks in Transportation Technology, Year 4 General Level.

Set of Auto Mechanics Tools
Crystal Alton, 84%

The Haliburton Lumber Award. Donated by Haliburton Lumber and Enterprises Ltd. for the highest marks in Construction Technology, Year 4.

Award of \$50 each
Trevor Clement, 90%
Sean Harvey, 90%

The A. R. Williams Company Limited Award. Established by A. R. Williams Machinery Company for the student graduating from the Technical Programme with the highest overall average, Year 4 General Level.

Name on the plaque in the Technical Wing.
Trevor Clement, 90%

The Dawson Gray

Scholarship. Established by Dawson Gray Chartered Accountants for the student who has the highest average in O.A.C. Accounting.
Award of \$100.



OAC Honours Students

Amy Pergolas, 97%
The Aaron Mann Award. Donated by Lee Mann in memory of Aaron Mann to a deserving Grade 11 student proficient in H.T.M.L. (web page design).
Award of \$200
Taryn Clarke

The Mrs. Anna English Scholarship for Business and Commerce. Donated by the Teaching Staff of H.H.S.S. to a graduating student who has the highest overall average in 5 General Level Business/Computer Courses.
Award of \$200
Amy Petrow, 87%

The Wilberforce Veneer

Company Limited Award. Established by the Wilberforce Veneer Company for the highest overall average of a student graduating from the Commercial Programme in Year 4 General Level.
Name on Plaque in the Commercial Wing.
Amy Petrow

The Canada In North American Perspective Award. Donated by Curry Motors Limited for the highest mark in the Canada In North American Perspective (HCN) History Course.
Award of \$300
Kaija Siirala, 95%

The Leonard V. Stinson

The C.I.B.C. Entrepreneurship Award. Established by the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, Haliburton and Minden Branches presented to two students in Grade 11 Entrepreneurship.

Award of \$200 - Best Business Plan.
Jeff Pentney
Award of \$50 each - Second Best Business Plans.
Keegan MacKenzie
Trudy Bacon

The Letsgo Travel Award. Donated by Letsgo Travel to be presented to a deserving graduate who is pursuing post-secondary education in the field of Travel and Tourism.
Award of \$200.
Lindsay Wilkinson

The Financial Concept Group Award. The award will be presented to three students in the Grade 12 Advanced Personal Finance (BCS4A) course who achieve the highest overall marks.
Award of \$100.
Trevor Cole, 98%
Award of \$50 each.
Lisa Gage, 87%
Cherri Huck, 87%

The Twentieth Century 4G History Award. Donated by Paul Morissette for the highest mark in the Twentieth Century History Course.
Award of \$100.
Elizabeth Donnery, 100%

The Co-operative Education Award. Donated by Wanda Mole for the highest mark in Co-operative Education.
Award of \$100.
Jennifer Ferguson, 100%

The G3 Accounting Award. Donated by Al Oakley for the highest mark in Grade 11, General Level Accounting.
Award of \$50.
Ryan Urquhart, 87%

The A3 Accounting Award. Donated by Murray Kuntz for the highest mark in Grade 11, Advanced Level Accounting.
Award of \$50
Aaron Martin, 97%

The Ancient Civilization History Award. Donated by Jennifer Paton for the highest mark in the Ancient Civilization History Course.
Award of \$75
Liane Dron, 97%

The Haliburton Highlands Senior Citizens, Club Citizenship Awards.

Memorial Award. Established by Doreen Stinson-Burcombe for the female student selected by the Physical Education Department to represent the school at the Ontario Athletic Leadership Camp at Lake Couchiching.
Award of \$15 each.
Liane Dron
Krista Matysek
Caley Sisson

The Joseph and Florence Dollo Memorial Bursary. Established in memory of Joseph and Florence Dollo for a deserving student, not necessarily a graduate.
Award of \$140
Sarah Tusch

The Rotary Club of Haliburton 50 Anniversary Award. Donated by the Rotary Club of Haliburton for a deserving student.
Award of \$200
Ryan Urquhart



Year Four Honours students

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Established by the Haliburton Highlands Senior Citizens, Club for two students who exemplify the qualities in our school Credo respect, commitment and responsibility.

Award of \$50.

Kim Varty

AWARDS FOR MUSIC AND ART

The Mrs. Sandra Valentine Scholarship. Established by Sandra Valentine for a music student who has made a significant contribution to the extracurricular Music Programme in the school.

Award of \$75

Chris Chumbley

THE MUSIC APPRECIATION SCHOLARSHIPS

The total annual proceeds from the following four Scholarships are awarded to a student entering college or university in the field of Music or Musical Theatre.

The Ralph Hussey Memorial Scholarship.

Established by William Gliddon.

Prize of \$35

The Tim Harrison Memorial Scholarship Established by the H.H.S.S. Glee Club and H.H.S.S. Lettermen's Club.

Prize of \$65

The Mrs. Margaret Finney Memorial Scholarship. Established by William Gliddon

Prize of \$65.

The William Gliddon Scholarship. Established by William Gliddon

Prize of \$85.

Alaina Benoit

The Jean Lang Millar Music Appreciation Award.

Established by J. Burton Millar and Donald Finn for a graduating student who has made a significant contribution to the music life of the school.

Award of \$60.

Kimberley McGuire

The C. D. Ferguson Memorial Bursary. Established by Marge Ferguson for a graduating student pursuing post-secondary studies in the field of Art.

Award of \$45.

Larissa Thomas

The Mrs. Marge Ferguson Award. Established by Marge Ferguson for a graduating student pursuing post-secondary studies in the field of Art.

Award of \$75.

Karen Johnson

The Sarah Nash Memorial Bursary. Established by the family and friends of Sarah Nash for a graduating student who has shown ability in the Visual Arts field.

Award of \$200.

Reagan Brown

Awards programme provides nearly \$30,000 in scholarships and bursaries to local students

The Agnes Jamieson Memorial Scholarship for Art. Donated by the Agnes Jamieson Gallery in Minden to a student who has successfully completed the introductory Art courses and shows promise in the field.

Award of \$50

Ebony Scalf

The Drama Award. Donated by Michele Shapiera to a student who has demonstrated good academic achievement together with active participation in Grade 12 Drama.

Award of \$37.50 each.

*Ryan White
Alexis Macnab*

ership working with fellow students and helping them reach their potential.

Award of \$125 each.

*Ryan Dawson
Amy Brandon*

AWARDS TO GRADUATES

The Modern Electric Bursary. Donated by the Payne and Fawcett families to a deserving graduate who is entering a business-related programme in community college.

Award of \$100.

Sarah Corby

The Laurie Bacon & Valerie Cowan Memorial Award. These awards were established by the Association to the girl graduate

continuing their education.

Award of \$60 each to a male and female from Grade 12.

*Adam Aggett
Landa Crego*

The Muskoka and Haliburton Association of Realtors. Donated by the Haliburton District Real Estate Board to a deserving student proceeding to post-secondary education.

Award of \$200.

Maria Perrott

The Jeff Hutchings Memorial Award. Established by the Canadian Union of Public Employees, Local #997, for a graduating Year 4 student proceeding with post-secondary

education.

Award of \$95.

Landa Crego

The Russell Andrus Memorial Bursary. Donated by the Haliburton and District Lions, Club to a deserving graduate who is entering a technical programme in a community.

Award of \$400.

Jeremy Douglas

The Penny Pripp Memorial Bursary. Established by relatives, friends, students and teachers of Penny for a graduating student proceeding to further education.

Award of \$75

Tristan Coysh

The Donald J. Finn Bursary. Established by Donald J. Finn for a graduating student proceeding to post-secondary education.

Award of \$50.

Amanda Manser

The Haliburton Legion Bursary. Donated by the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129 for a graduating student, general level, proceeding to post-secondary education.

Award of \$200.

Kellee Miscio

The Curtis Way Memorial Bursary. Established by Mr. and Mrs. James Way for a graduating General Level student proceeding to post-secondary education. First consideration will be given to a student who has studied

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Ontario Scholars

ing from General Level who has been judged to have contributed in an outstanding way to school activities in Year 4.

Award of \$60.

Jaime Hughes

The Emil Neimann Memorial Bursary. Established by the Haliburton Highlands Senior Citizens, Club for two graduating Year 4 students who are



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Manufacturing Technology.
Award of \$75.

Mitch Johnson

The Staff Scholarship for Technical Proficiency. Donated by the teaching staff of H.H.S.S. to the student graduating from the Technical Program who achieves the highest overall mark.

Award of \$200.

Sean Harvey, 90%

The Rotary Club of Minden Bursary. Established by the Rotary Club of Minden to a graduating General Level student proceeding to post-secondary education.

Award of \$750.

Stacey Gill

Josten's Citizenship Award. Donated by Josten's for a male and female student who have demonstrated good citizenship in dealing with students and staff.

Engraved Watches.

*Ryan Dawson
Amy Brandon*

The Clayton and Phyllis Hodgson Citizenship Bursary. Established by the Hodgson family for a graduating student continuing education at a post-secondary institution who has demonstrated good citizenship and concern for fellow students.

Award of \$250.

Rebeka Bjelis

The Ontario Provincial Police Association Bursaries. Established by the Ontario Provincial Police Association and the Ontario Provincial Police Commissioned Officers to recognize academic achievements by sons or daughters of O.P.P. officers.

Award of \$250 each.

Not Awarded This Year

The W. R. Curry Memorial Bursary. Established by Ronald J. Curry for a graduating student proceeding to a communi-

ty college, preferably Sir Sandford Fleming College.
Award of \$150.

Claire Thompson

The Jeff Hutchings Memorial Bursary. Established by the relatives, friends, students and teachers of Jeff for a graduating student proceeding to further education at a post-secondary institution.

Award of \$75.

Tanya Watson

The Wendy Schell Memorial Bursary. Established by the relatives, friends, students and teachers of Wendy for a graduating student proceeding to further education at a post-secondary institution.

Award of \$75.

Eileen Shim

The Bamforth Bursary for Nursing. Established by Dr. Alexander Kennedy for a graduating student who is pursuing studies in the nursing profession.

Award of \$450 each.

*Jaime Hughes
Sheena Barry*

The Mrs. Hazel R. Newman Memorial Bursary. Established by Gordon W. Newman to a graduating student who has been accepted by and is pursuing studies in the nursing profession.

Award of \$300.

Crystal Coumbs

The North Entrance Masonic Lodge Bursary. Established by the North Entrance Masonic Lodge #463 for a deserving student who is graduating from Year 4.

Award of \$100

Kristen Sisson

The Earl Shipley Memorial Bursary. Established by the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129, for a deserving graduate who is pursuing further education in the medical field.



School letter recipients Matt Reid, Kate Campbell and Amy Brandon

Award of \$100.

Ainsley Hoare

The Boshkung Lake Property Owners, Association Award. The award will be presented to a deserving graduate who is continuing his/her education at a college or university. First preference shall be given to a student who is pursuing a career in the environmental field.

Award of \$250.

Jennifer Ferguson

The Sid Stamp Memorial Bursary for Year 4. Donated by Mr. and Mrs. Brian Black for a graduating student who is proceeding to post-secondary education.

Award of \$100.

Tammy Henry

The John Burton Memorial

Bursary. Donated by Mr. and Mrs. Murray Kuno to a deserving student from the Grade 12 Physical and Health Education Program who is proceeding to a physical and health education program at college or university.

Award of \$200.

Katrina Matysek

The Rotary Club of Haliburton Scholarship. Donated by the Rotary Club of Haliburton for the highest total mark in the three OAC Mathematics courses.

Award of \$500.

Matt Reid, 97%

The Duke of Dysart Math Award. Donated by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ryan to the student who is continuing his/her studies at university and has achieved the second highest

mark in three OAC Mathematics courses.

Award of \$250.

Alaina Benoit, 96%

The Daniel and Pauline Otto Bursaries. Established by Hilda Pauline Otto for a deserving male and female graduating student.

Award of \$300 each.

*Justin McConnell
Reagan Brown*

The West Side Jug City Achievement Award.

Donated by West Side Jug City to a graduating student continuing his/her education at a community college.

Award of \$1000.

Devon Dart

The Russell and Mary Packard Award. Donated by Russell and Mary Packard to a deserving graduate who had completed a course in Mathematics or a related area.

Award of \$100.

Stanley Cheong

The Joyce Williams Scholarship for English. to the H.H.S.S. Students, Council for the highest total mark in O.A.C. English Literature and English Communications.

Award of \$200

Amanda Chalmers, 95%

The Clarence McInerney Scholarship for Geography. Donated by the Teaching Staff of H.H.S.S. for the highest mark in O.A.C. Geography.

Award of \$200.

*Aaron Berning,
94%*

The Eric Potter Memorial Bursary. Established by the family and friends of Eric Potter for a graduate who has worked hard in order to succeed.

Award of \$500.

Carrie Huck

The George H. Thayer Scholarship for Science.

Donated by the Teaching Staff of H.H.S.S. for the highest total mark in O.A.C. Sciences.

Award of \$200.

*Ainsley Hoare,
89%*

Mrs. Lillian Curry Scholarship for Languages. Donated by the Highland Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star for the highest mark in O.A.C. French (FSGOA).

Award of \$150.

Alaina Benoit,

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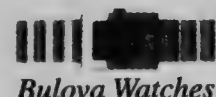
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99%

The Hewitt Brothers, Transport Bursary. Established by J. Earl Hewitt and Donald J. Finn for a graduating student proceeding to post-secondary education.

Award of \$60.

Meagan Sauve

The Rodney Gorveatt Memorial Bursary. Established by relatives, friends, students and teachers of Rodney for a graduating student proceeding to post-secondary education.

Award of \$75.

Greg Forgrave

The Rodney Gorveatt Memorial Scholarship. Established by Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Gorveatt for a graduating O.A.C. student furthering education at a Canadian university, preferably in law.

Award of \$80.

Cassandra Nimigon

The Mrs. Jean Herlihey Memorial Bursary. Established by the Herlihey family for a graduating student proceeding to post-secondary education.

Award of \$200.

Winter Quibell

The Bob Herlihey Memorial Award. Established by the family and friends of Bob Herlihey for a graduating student who has taken a programme of technical courses and has had outstanding academic achievement.

Award of \$400.

Jarett Rowden

The C. Jean Levis Memorial Bursary. Donated by the Levis family in memory of C. Jean Levis, a former mathematics teacher at H.H.S.S. and dedicated Secretary of the Scholarship Fund for many years. To be granted to a mature, adult student and who has returned to the high school after being away for some time and who has successfully completed the require-

ments for graduation.

Award of \$100.

*No Recipient
This Year*

The Rotary Club of Haliburton Bursary. Ray Selbie Donated by the Rotary Club of Haliburton to a deserving O.A.C. graduating student proceeding to further education at a Canadian university.

Award of \$750.

Erin Kernohan

The Retired Teachers of Ontario, Haliburton Unit. Donated by the Retired Teachers of Ontario to an OAC student proceeding to post-secondary education, preferably in concurrent education.

Award of \$500

Amy Brandon

The Ross Rigney Award. Donated by the Haliburton Chamber of Commerce to a graduating student who has shown leadership.

Award of \$200.

Jennifer Wales

The Bancroft and Haliburton Community Industrial Training Bursary. Established by the Bancroft and Haliburton C.I.T.C. for a graduating student continuing his/her studies in a Business or Technical Program.

Award of \$240.

Amy Pergolas

The Stuart W. Baker Award. Donated by Mrs. Dorothy Baker to a graduating student who has made a significant contribution to improving the school environment for the student body.

Award of \$200.

Amy Brandon

The Riddell Memorial Environmental Bursary. Donated by the Canning Lake Property Owners, Association to a graduate proceeding to post-secondary education in the

field of Environmental Science.
Award of \$300.

*Jennifer
Ferguson*

The Mrs. Louise Clark Bursary. Established by the late Mrs. Louise Clark for a deserving graduate.

Award of \$45.

Adrian Rawlings

The Haliburton Legion Scholarship. Donated by the Haliburton Legion to a graduating O.A.C. student who has had outstanding academic success and has shown leadership in extra-curricular or athletic activities in the school.

Award of \$100.

Ainsley Hoare

The Haliburton Legion Military Training Bursary. Donated by the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129 to a graduating student who is pursuing a military career and enters a military college.

Award of \$200.

Not Awarded This Year

The Beverley Anne Millar Bursary. Established by the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden for a graduating student from one of these Townships who has made a significant contribution to school life.

Award of \$50.

Jason Scott

The (CMA) Certified Management Accountants Scholarship. Donated by CMA to a student who has demonstrated exceptional leadership qualities, school and community involvement and high academic achievement.

Award of \$1000.

Amy Pergolas

The O.A.C. Family Studies Award. Donated by Mrs. Rosie Kenney to a graduate who has demonstrated outstanding achievements in the Canadian Family Studies course.

Award of \$150.

*Not Awarded
This Year*

The Mrs. Mary Coneybear Memorial Bursary. Donated by Mr. Jim Churko to a graduate who is pursuing post-secondary education at college or university.

Award of \$250.

Reagan Brown

The Ethel L. Curry Bursary. Established by Miss Ethel L. Curry for a graduating student who has made a significant contribution to the school in the arts



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field.

Award of \$275.

Ryan Dawson

The Ronald J. Curry Memorial Bursary. Established by Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Curry for a graduating student continuing his/her education.

Award of \$125.

Helen Harris

The Eric Nystedt Memorial Awards. Established by the Eric Nystedt Memorial Fund for two graduates who are attending university and who have made significant contributions to athletics.

Award of \$450 each.

*Matt Reid
Inga Haedicke*

The Margaret Sisson Memorial Bursary. Established by the Sisson family for a deserving graduate.

Award of \$600.

Amanda Chalmers

Aramark Bursary. Donated by Aramark Canada Limited to a graduating student who is pursuing post-secondary education, preferably in the food service, hospitality industry.

Award of \$200

Shelley Hirstwood

The Rotary Club of Minden Scholarship. Established by the Rotary Club of Minden to a graduating O.A.C. student who has demonstrated good academic achievement and active participation in athletics or extracurricular activities at H.H.S.S.

Award of \$750.

Elizabeth Donnery

The Governor General's Canadian History Medal for the Millennium. Donated by the Governor General of Canada to the student who achieves the

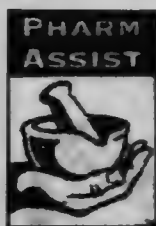
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highest mark in Canadian History Medal.

Kaija Siirala

The Al Stott Award. Donated by the Minden Lion's Club, this award will be presented to a graduating student who is proceeding to further education at a post-secondary institution. First preference shall be given to a student who has made significant contribution to the school in the arts, drama and music field and who is pursuing related studies.

Award of \$1,000.

Kate Campbell

The Robert (Bob) Sisson Memorial Bursary. Established by Martin and Victoria Sisson, this award will be presented to a graduating student who is proceeding to further education at a post-secondary institution. First preference shall be given to a student who has made a significant contribution to the school in the arts, drama and music field.

Award of \$125.

Ryan Dawson

The Lodenquai Scholarship. Established by Dr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Lodenquai for the second highest overall average on graduation from the O.A.C. year.

Award of \$75 each.

Reagan Brown, 91%
Matthew Reid, 91%

The Easterling Technologies Environmental Award. Established by Easterling Technologies Corporation to a graduating student who has shown dedication and leadership in the field of environmental issues and who is pursuing further studies in environmental studies at university.

Award of \$1000.

Jennifer Ferguson

The F. D. Herlihey Memorial Scholarship. Established by F. Harold Herlihey for the highest overall average on graduation

from the O.A.C. year.

Award of \$200.

Elizabeth Donnery

Principal's Award for Student Leadership. Established by the Ontario Principals Council to a deserving student who has shown outstanding leadership qualities.

Award of \$200 and engraved name on recipient's plaque and plaque that is displayed in the school.

Amy Brandon

The C. Jean Levis Calculus Award. Established by the staff of H.H.S.S. for the highest overall mark in O.A.C. Calculus.

Award of \$65

Matt Reid, 97%

The Governor General's Academic Medal. Donated by the Governor General of Canada to the student who achieves the highest academic standing in the graduating class.

Bronze Medal.

Elizabeth Donnery

Haliburton Highlands Bursary Awards. Donated by the Scholarship Bursary Fund.

Award of \$250 each.

Shelley Hirstwood
Stephanie Ratz

Ken Wilson Bursary. Donated by the Scholarship Fund in recognition of the twelve years Ken Wilson has volunteered his time as the Treasurer of the H.H.S.S. Scholarship Perpetual Fund.

Award of \$250.

Michele Robinson

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Amy Brandon
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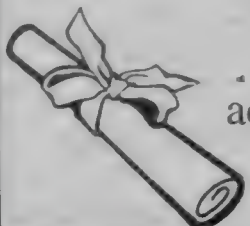
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Razzamataz - Kids Shows is gearing up for another exciting entertainment season. This year's line-up includes four uniquely imaginative presentations sure to delight young and old alike.

Travel to the wonderful Land of Oz, as Erehwon Theatre returns with it's all new production of "The Wizard of Oz". Eight little stars will be chosen to attend a forty minute pre show rehearsal that will prepare them for the roles of Dorothy, the Scarecrow, the Tin Man, the Cowardly Lion or one of several Munchkins. This fantastical and innovative new work will be presented on Sunday December 3 at 2 p.m. at the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion.

Next, see the Stylamanders, that zany, high energy musical duo who combine great original music, audience participation, championship yo-yo tricks, wacky choreography and pure fun in "Ants In Yer Pants", a show that the whole family will enjoy! They will be appearing on Sunday January 14 at 2 p.m. at the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion.

Do you believe in trolls? "Troll Magic", which will be presented on Sunday February 18 at 2 p.m. at The Wigamog Inn by "Join Hands Puppeteers" may change your mind! The terrible mountain troll has stolen the magic stone from the lake. Now the lake is drying up and the forest animals are in trouble. Who can bring back the stone from the mountain troll and save the forest? This enchanting tale of hope and courage features large colorful puppets, beautiful sets, live music and audience participation.

The season concludes with the performance of "If A Tree Falls" by Mortal Coil Performance Society. It is a sensuous feast of dance, humorous theater, stunts, voice, percussion, spectacular sets and costumes. This production comes to us from Vancouver B.C. and is an enthralling tale of the wild and wonderful rain forest. Mortal Coil Performance Society will be appearing Saturday March 24 at 2 p.m. at the YMCA Camp Wanakita.

Razzamataz - Kids Shows! is a non-profit, volunteer run

organization dedicated to bringing high quality live children's entertainment to Haliburton County. The presentation of these outstanding performances has been made possible by the Ontario Arts Council, and by these generous local sponsors: CIBC Haliburton, Curry Motors, Grafton Utility Supplies, The Haliburton Rotary Club, The Minden Times, Rexall Drug Store - Haliburton, West Side Jug City, The Wigamog Inn and The YMCA Camp Wanakita.

Buying your seats as the whole season at \$18 per person saves you almost \$4. per show or \$16 for the season for each pass. These limited season's passes are only available until December 3/00. After this date, admission is \$8/adult, \$5/ child at the door for each show. Don't miss this opportunity of bringing your children to experience a very special "real" theater experience in our own Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion. Your support helps to ensure the future of live theater for our County's children. We strive to keep ticket prices affordable to ensure everyone has the opportunity to attend.

Tickets may be purchased at Master's Book Store in Haliburton or by calling Julie at 457-3414 or Karen at 457-1311.

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NOTICE

(Application by Farquhar and Dunn)

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al has by resolution declared a portion of a former colonization road, known locally as the Old Kennaway Road in Part Lot 27 in Concession 4, in the vicinity of Paradise Lake in the geographic Township of Dysart, in the Municipality of Dysart et al, in the County of Haliburton, to be surplus.

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al proposes to enact at its meeting to be held on Monday, November 6th, 2000, a by-law to close, stop-up and convey part of the said original road allowance.

WHICH SAID PARCEL or tract of land is illustrated and shown as Parts 2, 3, 4, 7, 8 and 9 on a preliminary plan of survey, prepared H. Curry Bishop, OLS, and dated April 7th, 2000, being available for inspection in the office of the Township Planner at the Municipal Office in Haliburton, Ontario.

BEFORE PASSING the said by-law at its meeting to be held as noted above, the Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al shall then and there hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be affected by the said by-law.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION is available for review from the Planning Department at the Municipal Office during regular offices hours (9:00 am. to 5:00 pm. Monday to Friday).

DATED at the Township of Dysart, this 22nd day of September, 2000.

Patricia E. Martin
M.C.I.P., R.P.P. Township Planner

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Tender documents and specifications will be available at the Purchasing Office.

Sealed tenders will be accepted only at the Purchasing Department, Room 423, up to 3:00p.m. local time, Tuesday October 24, 2000. The tender will be publicly opened at 3:05p.m., 2000 in Room 515 at the Brealey Building.

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SUPPORT SERVICES CO-ORDINATOR

The Alzheimer Society of Peterborough and Area is seeking a full-time Support Services Co-ordinator. The successful candidate will be an integral member of the staff team and will be responsible for providing supportive and referral services to caregivers, families and friends of individuals with Alzheimer Disease, support for individuals in various stages of the disease, advocacy for caregivers and those with Alzheimer Disease, and group facilitation.

Qualifications for this position include a university degree/college diploma in the Human Services field; proven counselling experience in a health related discipline; knowledge of Alzheimer Disease and related dementias; a valid drivers license and a reliable vehicle. Current enrollment in a Dementia Studies Program would be an asset.

Qualified applicants should submit their resume by mail, fax or email to:

Paul Cummings - Executive Director
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All resumes must be submitted by 5:00pm Friday October 27, 2000.

We sincerely appreciate the interest of all applicants; however, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

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Kindly submit your resume in confidence, to: South Muskoka Memorial Hospital, Human Resources Department, 75 Ann Street, Bracebridge, Ontario, P1L 2E4, Fax: (705) 645-4594, Email: hr@muskoka.com

For a good cause

April Austen and Megan Woodman were just two of the many students helping out at the HHSS Student Council Charity Car Wash the Friday before last. The students were able to raise just over \$400 for the 4 C's for Thanksgiving by washing over 50 cars at the Government dock in Haliburton.



ERIK MARTENSONECHO

October 25-22 is Foster Care week

The Kawartha-Haliburton Children's Aid Society, serving Peterborough, Victoria and Haliburton counties, is responsible for the safety and protection of children in this community. Wherever possible, the Children's Aid Society works to keep children in their own family, but sometimes, it is necessary for a child to be brought into care.

Foster care is the first choice in these situations because most children's needs are best met in a family environment. Foster parents provide a temporary home for children. The length of time in care can vary from just a few days to a week, several months or possibly years. Reimbursement for expenses related to the child's care, food and clothing is provided by the C.A.S.

Foster parents work with C.A.S. staff as part of a team to develop a plan for each child in care. The ideal plan is usually to reunite a child with his or her family. Where this is not possible, the plan may include adoption or long-term foster care. Foster parents provide stability and a caring home that encourages a child's growth and development. While the legal responsibility for the child remains with the agency, foster parents play a very important role in the child's daily life.

In the catchment area of the Kawartha-Haliburton C.A.S. there are presently 280 children in care, and 109 foster families who have opened their hearts and their homes to provide a stable and nurturing environment to these vulnerable children. Unfortunately, there are not enough foster homes available to care for the increasing number of children coming into care. As a result, some children must be placed in expensive group homes, which are often located outside the local community.

If you would like to learn more about becoming a foster parent, please contact Mary Keenan in the Lindsay office of the Kawartha-Haliburton Children's Aid Society at 705-324-3594 or 1-800-567-9136.

Volunteers needed for Home Support

Volunteers are the life-blood of any non-profit organization and Haliburton County Home Support Services (HCHSS) is no exception to the rule. Certainly its impact on the lives of seniors over 55 and on the handicapped over 18 is greatly augmented by its volunteer input.

Granted that there is a dedicated group of volunteers who act on a board of directors, who chair the various committees and who each attend at least three meetings a month usually more - Wednesday mornings for these people are booked for 10 months of the year.

But it is the foot-soldiers in the field, those who have contact with the client, senior or handicapped, who make the whole thing work. These are the drivers who take patients for a doctor's appointment in Toronto, Peterborough, Haliburton and who remain around to bring them home. These are the drivers who deliver hot or frozen meals to clients' homes and do an unobtrusive check to make sure that all is well with the client. These are also the people who share the responsibility of installing and monitoring the Emergency Response button that Seniors are encouraged to wear to summon help in case of a fall or other disaster.

These too are the caring folk who will take it upon themselves to phone on a regular basis, a shut-in and find out how they are doing. We call it Friendly Visiting. It is a vital life-line to someone who has retreated from the world due to age or illness and especially who lacks family caring. These clients are no longer capable of doing maintenance on their homes and need help mowing lawns, gardening, painting, snow clearing. House cleaning and meal preparation are also needs to be met. Approved service providers can be recommended through HCHSS.

As you can see, this is a highly structured, tried and tested program to accommodate any and all seniors and their needs. And the people who provide this care are invariably seniors themselves, though younger consequently through attrition, from care-givers moving on, or giving up driving, or from death, there is always a need for fresh recruits.

Some statistics of interest. Clients served from March 31 to Sept. 12, 2000:

Age over 90: 18 women, 6 men; Age 80 to 90: 73 women, 47 men; Age 75 to 80: 47 women, 41 men; Age 70 to 75: 28 women, 25 men; Age 65 to 70: 19 women, 10 men; Age 60 to 65: 15 women, 6 men; Age 55 to 60: 8 women, 6 men. Total: 287 women, 190 men.

Thereafter the numbers decrease rapidly for both sexes. Suffice it to say: We are generally living longer. It is more to be desired by the client and it costs

less to keep a client in their own home and in familiar surroundings, which fits the mandate of HCHSS.

At present in the Haliburton service area the need is for the following care givers. Emergency response, hot Meals on Wheels, office volunteer, long distance transportation drivers.

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In Gooderham Service Area for: Friendly visiting. It is a "Feel Good:" experience to help others and yes it does require patience and discernment. But one day in spite of modern medicine, excellent nutrition and the most rigorous fitness regime, we shall all experience the aging process and need help!

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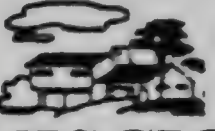
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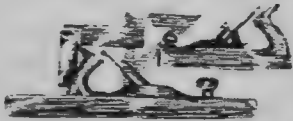
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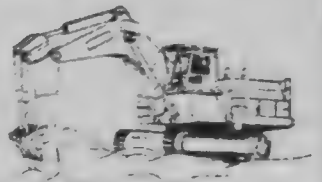
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Community pot luck dinner to be followed by "Fitz all sizes"

Since our Harcourt Three Pitch tournament in July, Harcourt has not been sleeping by any means.

For the fishing enthusiasts the Third Annual Bass Tournament was a great day for a number of lucky fishermen. Excitement and fun were shared by all! All you bass fishermen, (I mean fisher persons) make sure you mark the Fourth Annual Bass Tournament to be held on July 28, 2001 on your calendars. Thanks to all the organizers of this event. Great job done!

Labour Day Weekend found a number of young souls out washing cars (in the rain) and collecting returnable bottles. This was a great success and we look forward to the next car wash and bottle drive.

On September 23, the Harcourt Community hosted a Craft Sale. Turnout for this adventure was low; however, the rain did not stop some shoppers who came away more than pleased with some very nice gifts for Christmas. Thank you vendors and guests.

"Congratulations and best wishes" go out to all the many persons who celebrated anniversaries, birthdays, and weddings at the Harcourt Community Centre these past months. Harcourt was pleased to be the host hall for these many momentous occasions.

We have some very exciting up-coming events.

On October 14th, 2000 we are pleased to have once again a Community Pot Luck Dinner followed by "Fitz all sizes".

Starting at 5:30 p.m. come and reminisce with family and friends and sit

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At 7:30 p.m. we are pleased to host once again, the multi talented, musical family "Fitz All Sizes". The Fitzgerald Family excels at making great dance and music together. Enjoy the lively songs of parents Julie and Tony and their children. Come out for a night to remember. Admission to performance - \$10. per family (includes children up to 15 years of age). Single admission \$5.00.

On October 21, we are looking forward to hearing a new sound to Harcourt Community centre - "Vertigo". Come out and hear this great group. Dance open to all ages and starts at 9:00 p.m.

Our taste buds are already set in motion for the Hunter's Turkey Dinner to be held on Saturday, November 11. Home cooked turkey dinner will be available starting at 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Don't go home after dinner - stay around and end the evening off by dancing the night away to the sounds of "Coulas" starting at 9:00 p.m.

Don't be disappointed get your tickets early for New Year's Eve. "Gerry Seaboard" will be back.

Also, don't forget that every Wednesday evening Bingo fans are welcome at 7:30 to try their luck at winning the Jack Pot and every Thursday evening at 7:30, Euchre skills and strategies can be tested. Come out for your chance to win and have great fun.

If you have any news you would like to share, please call Valerie at (705) 448-3640.

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Despite the cold snow, members of the Haliburton Scouting movement kept smiles on their faces as they held their annual Apple Day on Saturday. Here, Beaver Justin Cook, Cub Chris Iles and Scout Robbie Ashworth give the Ross family some apples in exchange for the Kashagawigamog couple's financial contributions outside Valumart.

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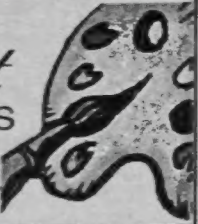
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709 IN MEMORIAM

ABBS, BRYAN - In loving memory of a very dear Dad and Papa who left us October 13, 1994. He walks with us down quiet paths And speaks in wind and rain For the magic power of memory Gives him back to us again. Forever loved and remembered by **Rob, Vicky, Justin and Alyssa.**

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WRIGHT, EUNICE - In loving memory of our dear aunt who passed away October 14, 1994. We were unable to say goodbye, but thank you for making the years we had together really count, as all who were close to you know, you were truly an exceptional human being. Sadly missed and always remembered by nieces and nephews, **Alberta, Bernie, Cheryl, David, Erin** and their families.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE HUGH INGLIS ALEXANDER.
All creditors and others having claims against the estate of Hugh I. Alexander, late, of the Village of Tory Hill, in the County of Haliburton, who died on or about the 9th day of August, 2000, are required to file the particulars of such claim with the undersigned executor for the said estate, on or before the 14th day of October, 2000. Executor's name and address: **Gary Van Alexander, R.R. #1, Tory Hill, Ontario K0L 2Y0.**

ROAD CLOSING: The right-of-way through Lot 8, Conc. 1, Dysart to Morgan Estates will be closed to all traffic for 24 hours from 12 noon, October 12th, 2000. **Harvey M. Clarke.**

712 CARDS OF THANKS

HEARTFELT THANKS to my family and friends, Drs. Gammon, Ferracuti, and Conway, hospital staff, ambulance attendants, and everyone who expressed concern for me. I'm back home now and feeling much better now. **Lois Mowat**

I MARGARET SKRABL, wife of Tony Skrabl of Wilberforce, who was seriously injured in a snowmobile accident on Feb. 4, 2000 in Wilberforce. My family and I would like to thank everyone who helped during this traumatic time, including neighbours, ambulance staff, police officers, and air ambulance, paramedics. Just to let everyone know he is home and doing much better and we thank you all from the bottom of our hearts. **Margaret Skrabl and family.**

OUR SINCERE THANKS to the friends and associates who have expressed their concern and sympathy over the "attack" of Sept. 23. Whether I win or lose in the election, your remarks about their attempt to embarrass and discredit us are priceless. **Louis Armstrong's "It's A Wonderful World"** really applies to our situation. thank you all. **Bill and Sandy Valentine.**

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Wilberforce United Church to celebrate 111th anniversary

The Monmouth Agricultural Fair Board's Turkey Supper on Thanksgiving Saturday was a welcome hot meal. It was warming indeed, as a contrast to the chilly temperature outside, although the snow flurries from earlier in the day had disappeared.

Best wishes to Mandy Fideau and Jamie Billings for a happy life together. They were married on Saturday, October 7, 2000. The wedding and reception took place in Harcourt, family and friends from as far as Brantford, Ontario and Digby, Nova Scotia, attended. The young couple will reside in Wilberforce.

Best wishes also to Barb and Tim Davies on the birth of a baby girl last Monday, October 2, 2000, in the Orillia hospital. Welcome to wee Taylor Gillian, one of our newest residents of Wilberforce.

Sadly, we learned of the death of Gordon Stoughton on Sunday, October 8, 2000 at the Haliburton hospital. A

long time resident, Gord and his late wife Laura, for many years operated a service station and snack bar here. Sympathy goes to Barry, Shelley, Gary and their families in the loss of father, grandfather and uncle. A good neighbour gone to his rest.

The Wilberforce United Church will celebrate its 111th anniversary on Sunday, October 15, with special musical presentations by The Gentlemen of Song. Marion Sedgwick, who has kindly taken many of the services recently, will lead and deliver the sermon. All welcome. Pot luck

luncheon follows this 11:30 a.m. service.

The Rev. Maggie Milne was commissioned and welcomed as part-time Parish Associate Minister by The Rev. Christopher Greaves at St. Margaret's and St. George's Anglican Churches on Sunday, October 8, 2000. No stranger to these churches, Maggie's involvement here is now "official".

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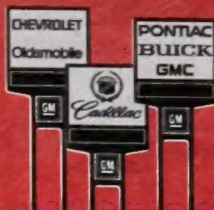


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• Ontario Breast Screening Program - Victoria County. For women 50 years and over, screening every Thursday at the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay. No doctor referral necessary. Call Mon. - Fri. for an appointment, 705-328-6175.

• Scottish Country Dancers meet every Monday evening at JD Hodgson School gym, 7:30 p.m. Beginners and singles welcome. Call 286-1218 or 447-2509.

• Highland Sr. Citizens Club meet every Thursday, at the Royal Canadian Legion at 12 o'clock. Price \$3.50 for lunch. All seniors welcome.

• Daffodil Cancer Support Group, Haliburton United Church: October 26, November 30 and December 28, 2:00 p.m. Cancer patients and families reaching out to help others cope with this disease. Contact people are Jean Casey 457-1010 and Helen Cox 286-2224.

• Highland Wood Carvers meet every Monday at the Lochlin Community Centre, from 1 - 4 p.m. or 7 - 10 p.m. New members welcome. For more information please call 457-1966 or 286-2029.

• Oct. 11: Wheels to Meals, 12 noon, sponsored by Home Support, at Rip's in West Guilford. Info. call 457-2941.

• Oct. 11: Haliburton Highlands Field Naturalists - join us for a presentation on "Designing the African section, Toronto Zoo" by Verne Brinsmead. Slides, artifacts and tales from a research trip to the African savannah. Haliburton Museum at 7:30.

• Oct. 14: Harvest Feast Buffet, 4:30 to 7 p.m., Kinmount Legion Hall. Sponsored by Kinmount United Church Ladies. Adults \$10, children \$4 (10 yrs. & under), preschoolers free.

• Oct. 14: Help wanted: Those interested in an Laxton Digby Longford Homecoming in 2001, bring your ideas to our meeting on Sat., Oct. 14 at 10 a.m., LDL Council Chambers. For more info. call 454-3418.

• Oct. 15: Walk to re-establish Emergency Housing in Haliburton County. Refreshments and registration 9:30 a.m. Walk starts 10:30 a.m. For info. and pledge sheets call (705) 457-1942.

• Oct. 15: Wilberforce United Church celebrates its 111th Anniversary with special musical presentations by The Gentlemen of Song. Worship service at 11:30 a.m. Pot luck luncheon to follow. Everyone welcome.

• Oct. 17: CHACE Haliburton Resource Centre, 11 a.m. - Carving Jack-o-Lantern Oranges.

• Oct. 18: CHACE Haliburton Resource Centre, 11 a.m. - Bake Day - come and join us! We'll be making Apple Sauce.

• Oct. 18: Wheels to Meals, 12 noon, sponsored by Home Support, at Kei's, Haliburton. Info. call 457-2941.

• Oct. 18: "Women in Grief" support group meets for 7 Wednesday afternoon sessions. Call Palliative Care Victoria at 324-2811.

• Oct. 18: "Men's Grief Support Group" begins for 8 Wednesday afternoon sessions. Call Palliative Care Victoria at 324-2811.

• Oct. 19: Tea, Tunes, and Talk at 7:30. Come and fine out about the YWCA - HERS Project (Haliburton Emergency Rural Shelter) Project. For info. call (705) 457-1942.

• Oct. 19: 50 Plus Club held at the Haliburton Legion. This is a pot luck and social. We meet the 3rd Thursday of each month. New members welcome. \$5 membership and \$5 each month for dinner, guest \$7.00. This month will be \$1 plus a tasty dish. Time 4:30 p.m. Dinner 5:30. Info. call Margaret, 457-2124.

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